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PREFACE.

THIS collection of Anthems, though compiled under the authority of the Dean and Chapter of Chester for use in their Cathedral, has also been prepared with a view to supply the want, which the Editor felt when a Parochial Clergyman, of a cheap and comprehensive Anthem Book.

The Music may, in nearly every instance, be procured of Messrs. Novello, Ewer, & Co., to whom the promoters of Choral Music are so largely indebted, and to whom the Editor begs to return his thanks for the assistance and advice which he has received from them.

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Short Notices

OF SOME OF THE AUTHORS,

WHOSE WORKS HAVE BEEN USED IN PREPARING THIS VOLUME.

ALCOCK, J., Mus. Doc., died 1806, was Organist of the Cathedral, Lichfield.

ALDRICH, Rev. H., D.D., born 1647, died 1710. Dean of Christ Church, Oxford. The anthems bearing his name are in many cases adaptations of Palestrina's music to English words.

ANGEL, A., Organist of Exeter Cathedral.

ARCADELT, A., a Belgian Composer, pupil of Josquin. His writings chiefly date about the middle of the sixteenth century.

ARMES, P., Mus. Doc. Organist of Durham Cathedral.

ARNOLD, SAMUEL, Mus. Doc., died 1802, was Organist of the Chapel Royal, S. James', and of the Royal Chapel, Windsor.

ARNOLD, G. B., Mus. Doc., Organist of Winchester Cathedral.

ATKINS, R. A., Organist of S. Asaph Cathedral.

ATTWOOD, T., Mus. Doc., born 1767, died 1838, was Organist of S. Paul's Cathedral and Composer to King George IV.

AYLWARD, T., Mus. Doc., died 1801. Organist of S. George's, Windsor, and Professor of Music at Gresham College.

AYRTON, E., Mus. Doc., died 1808, was Master of the Children of the Chapel Royal.

BACH, JOHANN SEBASTIAN, the fellow countryman and contemporary of Handel, born in the same year, 1685, at Eisenach. Organist at Arnstadt, Mühlhausen, Weimar, and Kothön, successively, and from 1723 to 1750, the date of his death, Kapel-meister at the Thomas' School, Leipsic.

BANKS, R., Organist of Rochester Cathedral, died 1841.

BARNBY, JOSEPH, pupil of Gounod. Organist and Choir-master of S. Andrew's Church, Wells-street, London.

BATES, —., Organist of Ripon Cathedral.

BATTEN, ADRIAN, died 1640, was Vicar-Choral and Organist of S. Paul's Cathedral in the reign of Kings Charles I. and II.

BATTISHILL, J., born 1738, died 1801. Was Organist of Christ Church, Newgate-street, London.

BECKWITH, J., Mus. Doc. Was Organist of Norwich Cathedral, died 1809.

BEDSMORE, —., Organist of Lichfield Cathedral.

BEETHOVEN, LUDWIG VON, born 1770 at Bonn on the Rhine. A pupil of Vander Eden and Neefe. In 1793 he became the pupil of Haydn, and subsequent to that date he received instruction from Albrechtsberger. He died in 1827 at Vienna.

BELLAMY, T. L., born 1770. A pupil of Dr. Cooke. He was appointed Master of the Choir of his Catholic Majesty's Chapel under the Spanish Embassy, 1819.

BENNETT, A., Mus. Bac., Organist of New College, Oxford. Died 1830.

BENNETT, WILLIAM STERNDALE, Mus. Doc., Professor of Music in the University of Cambridge.

BEST, W. T., Organist of S. George's Hall, Liverpool.

BIRD or BYRDE, W., born 1544, died 1623. He was originally a Singing boy in Edward VI. Chapel. Was chosen Organist of Lincoln Cathedral in 1563, where he continued till 1569. He survived his Master, the celebrated Tallis, 38 years.

BISHOP, J., died 1737. He was a pupil of Rosingrave and subsequently appointed Organist of Winchester Cathedral.

BLAKE, Rev. J., D.D., died 1860, a Prebendary of Salisbury Cathedral.

BLOW, J., Mus. Doc., born 1648, died 1708. He was one of the first set of children of the Chapel Royal after the Restoration. On the death of Pelham Humphries, 1674, he was appointed Master of the Boys. He succeeded Purcell, in 1695, as Organist of S. Margaret's, Westminster, and subsequently became Organist of Westminster Abbey and Composer to the Chapel Royal. Among his pupils were Henry Purcell, Jeremiah Clarke, and Dr. Croft.

BOYCE, W., Mus. Doc., born 1710, died 1779. He was pupil of Dr. Greene. In 1736 he was appointed Organist at S. Michael's., Cornhill, in the room of Mr. Joseph Kelway, and Composer to the Chapel Royal, on the death of Mr. John Weldon in the same year. He succeeded Dr. Greene in 1755, as Master of the Royal Band of Musicians, and in 1758 was appointed one of the Organists of the Chapel Royal, in the room of Mr. John Travers then deceased.

BOND, H., Lay Vicar of Exeter Cathedral in 1760.

BOND, C., Organist of Coventry, about 1770.

BUCK, Z., Mus. Doc., Organist of Norwich Cathedral.

BULL, J., Mus. Doc., born 1563, died 1630. He was educated under W. Blitheman, Organist to Queen Elizabeth, and appointed one of the Gentlemen of the Chapel Royal in 1585. In 1591 he was elected Organist of the Chapel Royal. He died as some say at Hamburgh, having resigned his professorship in Gresham College and other English appointments in 1607.

Brown, —., Organist of Lichfield Cathedral in 1771.

Calah, J., Organist of Peterborough Cathedral, died 1799.

Camidge, J., Organist of York Minster, died 1860.

Camidge, M., was Organist of York Minster.

Camidge, J., Mus. Doc., was Organist of York Minster, died 1854.

Carissimi, Giacomo, born at Padua 1582, died 1690. He is said to have been the teacher of Scarlatti. He was appointed Chapel-master of the German College, and of the Pontifical Chapel at Rome, about 1640.

Chard, W., Mus. Doc., Organist of Winchester Cathedral and College, died 1849.

Cherubini, born at Florence 1760, died in 1842 at Paris, where he was Director of the Conservatoire.

Childe, W., Mus. Doc., born 1606, died 1696. He was Organist of S. George's Chapel, Windsor, and of the Royal Chapels in the reigns of Charles I., Charles II., James II., and William and Mary.

Chipp, —, Mus. Doc., Organist of Ely Cathedral.

Clari, C. M., Chapel-master of the Cathedral of Pistoga. He was a Composer of eminence as early as the year 1695.

Ciampi, F., a Neapolitan Musical Writer, died 1740.

Clarke, Jeremiah, died 1707. He was one of the Children of the Chapel Royal under Dr. Blow, whom he succeeded as Almoner and Master of the Choristers in S. Paul's Cathedral in 1693; he was also afterwards elected Organist of the same Cathedral, and in 1704 was admitted a joint Organist of the Chapel Royal together with Dr. Croft.

Clarke, Whitfield, Mus. Doc., born 1770. He was appointed Organist of Armagh Cathedral in 1795. In 1798 he became Organist at Trinity and S. John's Colleges, Cambridge. In 1820 he was elected Organist of Hereford Cathedral, and in the following year was chosen Professor of Music in the University of Cambridge.

Cooke, B., Mus. Doc., died 1793. About the year 1780 he was Organist and master of the Choristers of Westminster Abbey.

Cooke, R., Organist and Master of the Choristers of Westminster Abbey, died 1814.

Corfe, J., born 1740 died 1820. Originally a Chorister in Salisbury Cathedral. In 1782 he became one of the gentlemen of the Chapel Royal. In 1792 he was elected Organist of Salisbury Cathedral, which office he vacated in favour of his son Arthur, in 1804.

Corfe, A. T., born 1773. He was placed as Chorister at Westminster Abbey and in 1804 succeeded his father as Organist of Salisbury Cathedral.

Corfe, C. W., Mus. Doc., Organist of Christ Church, Oxford.

Corfe, J. D., Organist of Bristol Cathedral.

CREYGHTON, Rev. R., D.D., born 1639, died 1736, son of the Bishop of Bath and Wells. In 1674 he became Canon Residentiary and Chanter of the Cathedral Church at Wells.

CROFT, W., Mus. Doc., born 1676, died 1727, one of the children of the King's Chapel. In 1704 he was appointed joint Organist with Jeremiah Clarke, of the same Chapel Royal, and in 1708 succeeded Dr. Blow as Master of the Choristers and composer to the Chapel Royal, and Organist of Westminster Abbey. As composer to her Majesty Queen Anne, the frequent victories under the Duke of Marlborough, called upon him to furnish many Anthems of thanksgiving.

CROTCH, W., Mus. Doc., born 1775, died 1848, was Professor of Music in the University of Oxford, and for some years Organist of Christ Church and Magdalene Colleges.

CULBORNE, LANGDON, Mus. Bac., Organist of S. Michael's College, Tenbury.

DARE, J. C., Organist of Hereford Cathedral, died 1820.

DONE, W., Organist of Worcester Cathedral.

DOWLAND, JOHN, Mus. Doc., born 1562. He died in Denmark in the year 1615.

DUPUIS, T. S., Mus. Doc., born 1733, died 1796, a pupil of Travers. On the death of Dr. Boyce, 1779, he was appointed Organist and Composer to the Chapel Royal in the reign of George III.

DURANTI, F., a Neapolitan Composer, died 1775.

EBDON, T., Organist of Durham Cathedral, died 1811.

ELVEY, S., Mus. Doc., Organist of S. John's and New College, Oxford, died 1861.

ELVEY, G. J., Mus. Doc., Organist of S. George's Chapel, Windsor.

FARRANT, RICHARD, born 1530, a fine old Composer of Church Music. Was a gentleman of the Chapels Royal in the reigns of Edward VI. and Elizabeth, and in 1564 was elected Organist of S. George's Chapel, Windsor. In 1580 he resigned his appointments in the Royal Chapels, and died in 1585.

FORD, —., Organist of Carlisle Cathedral.

GARLAND, —., was Organist of Norwich Cathedral about 1770.

GARRETT, G. M., Mus. Doc., Organist of S. John's College, Cambridge.

GATES, B., Gentleman of the Chapel Royal, died 1750.

GIBBONS, O., Mus. Doc., born in Cambridge 1583, where in subsequent years he became Organist of King's College Chapel. At the age of twenty one he was made Organist of the Chapel Royal in the reign of James I. He died from small pox, when attending the marriage solemnity between Charles I. and Henrietta of France, at Canterbury, in 1625. He had a brother, Edward Gibbons, Organist of Bristol Cathedral in reign of Charles I., and his son Christopher, was Organist of the Royal Chapels and Westminster Abbey in the reign of Charles II.

GOLDWYN, J., died 1719. A pupil of Dr. W. Childe, He was for 22 years Organist and Master of the boys at S. George's Chapel, Windsor.

GOSS, J., Organist of S. Paul's Cathedral, and Composer to Her Majesty's Chapels Royal.

GOUDIMEL, a Musician of Franche Compté, a pupil of Josquin. He is chiefly celebrated for setting the Psalms of Marot and Muret to music. He lived about 1560.

GOUNOD, C., born 1818.

GRAUN, C. H., born 1701, died 1759, Chapel Master to Frederick the Great at Berlin. His Sacred Musical Compositions consist of a Te Deum, an Oratorio, "The Death of Jesus," with several sacred Cantatas.

GREEN, M., Mus. Doc., died 1775, was brought up as Chorister in S. Paul's Cathedral. In 1718 he succeeded his master, Brind, as Organist of S. Paul's. On the death of Dr. Croft in 1726 he was appointed Organist and Composer to the Chapels Royal. He was in 1730 chosen to succeed Dr. Tudway as Professor of Music in the University of Cambridge.

GREGORY, POPE, called Gregory the Great, was born at Rome, 550. He is renowned for the reformation he effected in the Music of the Church in his day.

GUISE, R., Mus. Doc., Gentleman of the Chapel Royal and Master of the boys of Westminster Abbey, died 1808.

GUNTON, F., Organist of Chester Cathedral.

HAGUE, C., Mus. Doc., born 1769, was appointed Professor of Music in the University of Cambridge in 1799. He died in 1820.

HALL, H., Organist of Hereford Cathedral, died 1713.

HANDEL, G. F., the son of an eminent physician at Halle, born 1684. After visiting Italy he came to England, in 1710. He officiated from 1717 to 1720 as Chapel Master to the Duke of Chandos, at Cannons. In 1741 he produced his Oratorio "The Messiah," and while detained at Chester on account of the wind being unfavourable for his embarking at Parkgate for Ireland, he invited the services of those of the Cathedral Choir and other musicians who could read at sight, to try the choruses; but after repeated attempts, they could not get through "And with his stripes." Handel died, as he had prayed he might, on Good Friday, April 14th, 1759, and was buried in Westminste Abbey.

HAYDN, F. J., Mus. Doc., born 1732, died 1809. A pupil of Reuter, whom he accompanied to Vienna. He studied also under Porpora in the Italian art of Singing, and sang principal Tenor at S. Stephen's, in Vienna. He visited London in 1790 and 1794, and in 1795 produced his Oratorio—"The Creation." He died at the age of 78.

HAYES, W., Mus. Doc., died 1777. Was, in early life, Organist of S. Mary's, Shrewsbury, which situation he retained till a vacancy occurred in the office of Organist of Christ Church, Oxford, in which University he was afterwards made Professor of Music.

HAYES, P., Mus. Doc., born 1739, died 1797. Son of the preceding. Was admitted as one of the Gentlemen of the Chapel Royal, and was afterwards Organist of Magdalen College, and Professor of Music in the University of Oxford.

HAYNE, S., Mus. Doc., Organist of Eton College Chapel.

HAWES, Rev. T. H., Chaplain of New College, Oxford.

HAWKINS, J., Organist of Peterborough Cathedral about 1730.

HEATHCOTE, Venerable Archdeacon G., died 1829.

HENLEY, P., M.A., Rector of S. Anne's, Blackfriars, died 1778.

HENRY VIII., died 1547.

HIMMEL, F. H., born 1765. He was Chapel Master to the King of Prussia. About the year 1801 he visited England. His death took place in Germany about 1814.

HINE, W., Organist of Gloucester Cathedral, died 1730.

HOOPER, E., Organist of Westminster Abbey, and Gentleman of the Chapel Royal. Died 1621.

HOPKINS, E. J., Organist of the Temple Church.

HOPKINS, J. L., Mus. Bac., Organist to the University and Trinity College, Cambridge.

HOPKINS, J., Organist of Rochester Cathedral.

HORSLEY, W., Mus. Bac., born 1774. Organist to the Female Orphan Asylum, and Belgrave Chapel, Grosvenor Place.

HUMMEL, J. N., born 1780, died 1837. He was a pupil of Mozart. He had extraordinary ability as an extempore player. His compositions also rank very high for their scientific skill. He was Chapel Master to the Duke of Saxe Weimar.

HUMPHREYS, PELHAM, born 1647, died 1674, one of the first set of children of the Chapel Royal after the Restoration. He was educated at the same time with Blow and Wise.

HUTCHINSON, — Mus. Doc., died about 1780.

IRONS, H., Mus. Doc., Organist of Southwell Collegiate Church.

ISAACS, E., Organist of Worcester Cathedral about 1768.

JACKSON, W., born 1730, died 1803. Organist of Exeter Cathedral.

JEKYLL, C. S., Organist of S. George's, Hanover Square.

JOMELLI, N., born 1714, died 1774. Chapel-master of S. Peter's, at Rome.

JONES, J., Organist of S. Paul's Cathedral, died 1795.

JONES, T. E., Organist of Canterbury Cathedral.

KELWAY, JOSEPH, died 1750, successor to Weldon as Organist of S. Martin's-in-the-Fields. His playing on the Organ is said to have induced Handel to attend that Church that he might have the pleasure of listening to his performances.

KENT, JAMES, Mus. Bac., born 1700. Originally a Chorister in Winchester Cathedral. Subsequently he became one of the children of the Chapel Royal, under Dr. Croft. He died in 1776 as Organist of Winchester Cathedral.

KING, C., Mus. Bac., born 1687, died 1748. He received the first rudiments of Musical education under Jeremiah Clarke, being then a choir boy of St. Paul's Cathedral.

LANGDON, R., Mus. Bac., Organist of Exeter Cathedral, and subsequently of Bristol and Armagh, died 1798.

LAVINGTON, C. W., Organist of Wells Cathedral.

LAWES, W., died 1645. A member of the Choir of Chichester Cathedral, subsequently one of the gentlemen of the Chapel Royal, and one of the King's Chamber Musicians in 1602. He fell at the Siege of Chester in 1645.

LAWES, HENRY, brother of the preceding, born 1600. Became one of the gentlemen of the Chapel Royal and private musician to Charles I., he died in 1662 and was interred in Westminster Abbey.

LEE, W., Organist of Southwell Collegiate Church about 1724.

LEO, L., Organist to the Chapel Royal, Naples, died 1745.

LOCKE, M., Composer to King Charles II., died 1677.

LONGHURST, W. H., Assistant Organist of Canterbury Cathedral

LOOSEMORE, H., Mus. Bac. In 1640 he was Organist of King's College, Cambridge, afterwards of Exeter Cathedral.

LOTTI, A., Chapel Master of S. Mark's Church, Venice, about 1710.

LUTHER, MARTIN, died 1546.

MARCELLO, B., born 1686, died 1739. Many of the Psalms which he set to Music have been adapted to English words by Garthan, Organist of Durham Cathedral.

MOREIRA, LEAL, a Portuguese writer of the last century.

MASON, Rev. W., Canon and Precentor of York Minster, died 1797.

MAURICE, P., D.D., was Chaplain of New College and All Soul's, Oxford.

MATTHEWS, S., Mus. Bac., Organist of Trinity and S. John's Colleges, Cambridge, died 1831.

MENDELSSOHN, FELIX BARTHOLDY, born 1809. Zelter, the founder and director of the Academy at Berlin, taught him Composition, while Berger and Moscheles instructed him on the Piano. So early as his ninth year he appeared in public as a Pianist. His Oratorio, "S. Paul," was first performed at Dusseldorf, in 1836, while "Elijah," was produced at Birmingham, in 1846. He died 1848.

MORLEY, T., Mus. Bac., died 1604. A pupil of Bird, and one of the Gentlemen of Queen Elizabeth's Chapel.

MONK, E. G., Mus. Doc., Organist of York Cathedral.

MONK, W. H., Organist and Director of the Choir at King's College, London, and at S. Matthias', Stoke Newington.

MOZART, WOLFGANG AMADEUS, born in 1756, died 1792, aged 36 years. It was not till his life was drawing to its close that he concentrated his whole attention on Sacred Composition. Haydn, though born 24 years before him, survived Mozart 18 years. In 1764 Mozart visited England, then only 8 years old, but already the author of more than two compositions. The "Requiem" was his last and unfinished work.

NARES, J., Mus. Doc., died 1783. For some time he was Organist of York Cathedral, but on the death of Travers, in 1758, he was appointed Organist and Composer of the Chapel Royal.

NORRIS, THOS., Mus. Bac., Organist of Christ Church and S. John's, Oxford, died 1790.

NEUKOMM, C. S., Pupil of Joseph Haydn.

OAKELEY, H. S., Professor of Music in the University of Edinburgh.

OUSELEY, Rev. Sir F. A. GORE, Bart., Mus. Doc., Professor of Music in the University of Oxford, and Canon and Precentor of Hereford Cathedral.

PIERLUIGI DA PALESTRINA, GIOVANNI, was born about 1514, died 1594. He received his early education from Goudimel. In 1555 he was installed Maestro di Capella in the Church of S. John Lateran. He adopted the appellation "da Palestrina" from his birthplace. Palestrina transposed the ecclesiastical melody from the tenor to the soprano, thus creating choir song with its attendant harmonies.

PAISIELLO, G., Chapel-master of the Cathedral of Naples, died 1816.

PEPUSCH, J. C., Mus. Doc., late Organist of the Charter House, died 1752.

PERGOLESI, L. B., born 1704, died 1737.

PEREZ, D., Chapel-master to the King of Portugal, 1779.

PORTER, S., Organist of Canterbury Cathedral, died 1810.

PRATT, J., was Organist of King's College, Cambridge, and died 1852.

PRING, J., Mus. Doc., was Organist of Bangor Cathedral.

PROPERT, —, Organist of S. David's Cathedral.

PURCELL, H., born 1658, died 1695. He received lessons from Pelham Humphries, and at the age of 18 was appointed Organist of Westminster Abbey. He is said to have composed many of his Anthems while yet a singing boy. In 1682 he was promoted to be one of the Organists of the Chapel Royal.

RANDALL, J., Mus. Doc., Professor of Music in the University of Cambridge, and Organist of Trinity and King's Colleges, died 1799.

READING, J., Organist of Lincoln Cathedral, died 1740.

REYNOLDS, J., a Gentleman of the Chapel Royal, died 1770.

RICHARDSON, V., Organist of Winchester Cathedral, died 1715.

RICHARDSON, J. E., Organist of Salisbury Cathedral.

RIGHINI, V., born 1758, died 1812, Chapel-master to the King of Prussia at Berlin. He received his education under Martini.

ROBERTS, R., Organist of Bangor Cathedral.

ROGERS, B., Mus. Doc., died 1685, a Gentleman of the Chapel Royal, afterwards he was appointed Organist of Christ Church, Dublin, where he remained till, on the rebellion of 1641, he returned to Windsor, and in 1662 again became a Member of the Choir, with the appointment of Organist of Eton College, both which offices he continued to fill until he was elected Organist of Magdalene College, Oxford, taking his degree as Doctor of Music in 1669, on the opening of the New Theatre. He was ejected from his office as Organist by order of King James I. in 1685, and died in the outskirts of the city—a pensioner on the charity of the College.

SARTI, G., Imperial Chapel-master at S. Petersburg, born in 1730, died in Berlin in 1802.

SLADE, Rev. J., formerly a Canon of the Cathedral, Chester.

SMITH, J. STAFFORD, born 1750, became a pupil of Dr. Boyce and subsequently a Chorister of the Chapel Royal. After some years he was appointed one of the Organists of that Chapel. Died 1836.

SMITH, J. T., Organist of Hereford Cathedral.

SPOHR, LUDWIG, born 1784, died Court Chapel-master at Cassel, in 1859. His Oratorio, "The Last Judgment," was first performed on Good Friday, 1826. His style is peculiarly *chromatic*, and his Music sometimes loses clearness through intricacy of construction.

SPEECHLEY, J., Organist of Peterborough Cathedral.

STAINER, H., Mus. Doc., M.A., Organist of New College and the University of Oxford.

STEFFANI, A., born 1650. He became Chapel-master in the Court of Hanover. In compliance with the request of his Patron he took Holy Orders, and on being elevated to the Bishopric of Spigna by Pope Innocent XI., he resigned his office of Chapel-master in favor of Handel. He was elected President of the Academy of Ancient Music in London in 1724, and died at Frankfort in 1730.

STEPHENS, J., Mus. Doc., Organist of Salisbury Cathedral, died 1781.

STROUD, J., was one of the Choristers of the Chapel Royal, and died at the age of 16, in 1720.

THORNE, E. H., Organist of Chichester Cathedral.

TALLIS, THOMAS, one of the greatest Musicians during the 16th century, was the master of Byrde. He was born early in the reign of Henry VIII. It is said he was Organist of the Chapel Royal during the reigns of that monarch, Edward VI., Mary, and Elizabeth; but from the records of the Chapel Royal it would appear that Lay Organists were for the first time permitted in the reign of Elizabeth. He added harmonies to the Plain Song of the Church, as adapted to English words by Merbecke.

TRAVERS, J., a Chorister in S. George's Chapel, Windsor, apprenticed to Dr. Greene. In 1737 he was appointed Organist of the Chapel Royal, and was succeeded by Dr. Boyce in 1758, the year of his decease.

TUCKER, Rev. W., one of the Gentlemen of King Charles II.'s Chapel, and Precentor of Westminster Abbey, died 1678.

TURLE, W., born in 1795. He was originally Chorister in Wells Cathedral, and is now the Organist of Westminster Abbey, and a fine Composer of Sacred Music.

TURNER, W., Mus. Doc., a pupil of Dr. Blow. He died in 1740.

TUDWAY, THOMAS, Mus. Doc., a fellow-pupil with Turner and Purcell under Dr. Blow. He was created Doctor and Professor of Music in the University of Cambridge, on the occasion of the visit of Queen Anne to that University in 1705.

TYE, CHRISTOPHER, Mus. Doc., a Gentleman of the Chapel Royal in 1545, when he took his degree as Doctor of Music. He adapted the first 14 chapters of the Acts of the Apostles to Music, and published them in 1553, dedicated to Edward VI. The Anthems he has left of his own composition were originally with Latin words.

WALMISLEY, T. FORBES, born 1783, was Organist of S. Martin's-in-the-Fields.

WALMISLEY, T. ATTWOOD, Mus. Doc., was Professor of Music in the University of Cambridge, and Organist of Trinity and S. John's Colleges.

WEELKES, THOMAS, was Organist of Winchester and afterwards of Chichester Cathedrals, in 16th century.

WELDON, J., died 1636, was a pupil of Henry Purcell in 1706. He succeeded Dr. Blow as one of the Organists of the Chapel Royal, and seven years after was elected as one of the Composers to the same Royal Chapel.

WESLEY, S., born 1766, died 1815. His compositions are in the highest degree masterly and grand.

WESLEY, S. S., Mus. Doc., Organist of Gloucester Cathedral.

WHITFIELD, J. CLARKE, Mus. Doc., (*see above.*)

WINTER, P., an eminent Composer and Violinist. Chapel-master to the King of Bavaria, at Munich, born 1758, died 1825.

WISE, MICHAEL, one of the first of the children of the Chapel Royal after the Restoration. He then became Composer and Master of the Choristers at Salisbury Cathedral in 1668 and in 1675 was appointed a gentleman of the Chapel Royal, and eleven years after, Master of the Choristers at S. Paul's. He died at Salisbury in 1687.

WOODWARD, R., Mus. Doc., Organist of Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, died 1778.

WORGAN, J., Mus. Doc., Organist of S. Mary Axe, London, died 1733.

YOUNG, J., Organist of Lincoln Cathedral.

ANTHEMS.

1

ABOVE all praise and all majesty, Lord, Thou reignest evermore. Hallelujah.

2 *Isaiah* vi.

ABOVE Him stood the seraphim ; and one cried to another, Holy, Holy, Holy, is GOD the Lord, the Lord of Sabaoth : His glory hath filled all the earth.

3 *Job* xxii., 21--29.

ACQUAINT thyself with GOD, and be at peace with Him : and lay up His words in thine heart. If thou return to the Almighty, put away iniquity from thee. Then shall He be thy defence, and thy delight. Thou shalt make thy prayer unto Him, and He will hear thee. The Lord will deliver the righteous : He will save the humble man.

4 *Eccles.* iii., *&c.*

ALL go unto one place ; all are of the dust, and all turn to dust again. And now, Lord, what is my hope? truly my hope is even in Thee. The dust shall return to the earth as it was ; and the spirit shall return unto God Who gave it. We have the sentence of death in ourselves, that we should not trust in ourselves, but in God which raiseth the dead. For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle

were dissolved, we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

5 *Psalm* cxlv., 10, 14, 15, 16.

ALL Thy works praise Thee, O Lord: and Thy saints give thanks unto Thee. The Lord upholdeth all such as fall; and lifteth up all those that are down. The eyes of all wait upon Thee, O Lord: and Thou givest them their meat in due season. Thou openest Thine hand: and fillest all things living with plenteousness.

6 *Psalm* c.

ALL people that on earth do dwell,
  Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
Him serve with fear, His praise forth tell,
  Come ye before Him and rejoice.

The Lord ye know is God indeed;
  Without our aid He did us make;
We are His flock, He doth us feed,
  And for His sheep He doth us take.

O enter then His gates with praise,
  Approach with joy His courts unto;
Praise, laud, and bless His Name always,
  For it is seemly so to do.

For why? the Lord our God is good,
  His mercy is for ever sure;
His truth at all times firmly stood,
  And shall from age to age endure. Amen.

7 *Psalm* cxxxviii., 4—6.

ALL the kings of the earth shall praise Thee, O Lord, for they have heard the words of Thy mouth. Yea, they, shall sing in the ways of the Lord, that great is the glory

of the Lord; for though the Lord be high yet hath He respect unto the lowly, as for the proud He beholdeth them afar off.

8

ALL men, all things, all that has life and breath, sing to the Lord. Hallelujah. Praise the Lord with lute and harp, in joyful song extol Him, and let all flesh magnify His might and His glory: let all flesh worship the Lord. Praise thou the Lord, O my spirit: and my inmost soul praise His great loving-kindness: and forget not all His benefits.

9 *Isaiah* liii., 6, *&c.*

ALL we like sheep have gone astray, we have turned every one to his own way, and the Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all. But ye shall go out with joy and led forth with peace, the mountains and the hills shall break forth into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands. For the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it.

10 *Collect for 3rd Sunday after Epiphany.*

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities, and in all our dangers and necessities stretch forth Thy right hand to help and defend us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

11 *Collect for 12th Sunday after Trinity.*

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, who art always more ready to hear than we to pray, and art wont to give more than either we desire or deserve; pour down upon us the abundance of Thy mercy; forgiving us those things whereof our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask, but through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ Thy Son our Lord. Amen.

12 *Collect for 13th Sunday after Trinity.*

ALMIGHTY and merciful God, of whose only gift it cometh that Thy faithful people do unto Thee true and laudable service; Grant, we beseech Thee that we may so faithfully serve Thee in this life, that we fail not finally to attain Thy heavenly promises; through the merits of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

13 *Collect for 20th Sunday after Trinity.*

ALMIGHTY and most merciful God, of thy bountiful goodness keep us, we beseech Thee, from all things that may hurt us; that we being ready both in body and soul may cheerfully accomplish those things that Thou wouldest have done; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

14 *Acts* vii., 59, 60.

AND they stoned Stephen: And he knelt down and cried aloud: Lord, lay not this sin to their charge: Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. And when he had said this he fell asleep.

To Thee, O Lord, I yield my spirit,
  Who break'st in love this mortal chain:
My life I but from Thee inherit,
  And death becomes my chiefest gain:
In Thee I live, in Thee I die,
Content, for Thou art ever nigh.

15 *Acts* ix., 3—6. *Isaiah* lx., 1, 2.

AND as he journeyed, he came near unto Damascus: and suddenly there shone around him a light from heaven, And he fell to the earth: and he heard a voice saying unto him, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou Me? And he said, Lord, who art Thou? And the Lord said unto him, I am Jesus of Nazareth, whom thou persecutest. And he trembling and

astonished said, Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do? And the Lord said unto him, Arise, and go into the city, and there thou shalt be told what thou must do. Rise up, arise and shine, for thy Light comes, and the glory of the Lord riseth bright upon thee. Behold, now, total darkness covereth the kingdoms, and gross darkness the people; but upon thee riseth the mighty Lord; the glory of the Lord appeareth upon thee.

16 *Revelation* v. 13.

AND every creature that is in heaven, and on the earth, and under the earth, and in the sea, cried aloud and said,

Blessing, honour, glory, and power, be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb for ever.

17 *Revelation* xxii., 1—5.

AND there was a pure river of the Water of Life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the Throne of God and of the Lamb. In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the Tree of Life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations. And there shall be no more curse; but the Throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and His servants shall serve Him: And they shall see His face, and His name shall be in their foreheads. And there shall be no night there; and they shall need no candle, nor light of the sun; for the Lord their God giveth them light: and they shall reign for ever and ever. Hallelujah. Amen.

18 *Acts* xiv., 23. *Isaiah* lxi., 6—8.

AND when they had ordained them elders in every church, and had prayed with fasting, they commended them to the Lord, on whom they believed. They shall be named the

Priests of the Lord: men shall call them the ministers of our God. The Lord will direct their work in truth: and He will make an everlasting covenant with them.

Lord, pour Thy Spirit from on high,
And Thine ordained servants bless;
Graces and gifts to each supply,
And clothe Thy priests with righteousness.

So, when their work is finished here,
They may in hope their charge resign;
So, when their Master shall appear,
They may with crowns of glory shine.
Amen.

19 *Isaiah* lxix., 1, 2, 3, 19. *Isaiah* lxi., 10.

ARISE, shine, O Zion, for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee. Behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but the Lord shall arise upon thee, and His glory shall be seen upon thee. The Gentiles shall come to thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising. The sun shall be no more thy light by day, neither for brightness shall the moon give light unto thee: but the Lord shall be unto thee an everlasting light, and thy God thy glory. I will greatly rejoice in the Lord, my soul shall be joyful in my God, for He hath clothed me with the garment of salvation, He hath covered me with the robe of righteousness.

20 *Isaiah* lx., 1, 2, 3.

ARISE, shine, for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee. For, behold, darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but the Lord shall arise upon thee, and His glory shall be seen upon thee. And the Gentiles shall come to thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising.

21 *Psalm* xcvi., 7—13.

ASCRIBE unto the Lord, O ye kindreds of the people: ascribe unto the Lord worship and power. Ascribe unto the Lord the honour due unto His Name: bring presents and come into His courts. O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: let the whole earth stand in awe of Him. Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King: and that it is He Who hath made the round world so fast that it cannot be moved; and how that He shall judge the people righteously. Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad: let the sea make a noise, and all that therein is. Let the field be joyful, and all that is in it: then shall all the trees of the wood rejoice before the Lord. For He cometh, He cometh to judge the earth: and with righteousness to judge the world, and the people with His truth. Amen. Amen.

22 *Psalm* xcvi., 7—10. *Psalm* cxv., 4—15.

ASCRIBE unto the Lord, O ye kindreds of the people, ascribe unto the Lord worship and power; ascribe unto the Lord the honour due unto His Name. Let the whole earth stand in awe of Him. Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King: and how that He shall judge the people righteously. O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness. Sing to the Lord and praise His Name. Be telling of His salvation from day to day, His wonders unto all people. As for all the gods of the heathen, they are but idols. Their idols are silver and gold: even the works of men's hands. They have mouths and speak not; eyes have they and see not. They have ears and hear not; noses have they and smell not. They have hands and handle not; feet have they and walk not; neither speak they through their throat. They that make them are like unto them: and so are all such as put their trust in them. As for our God, He is in heaven, He hath done whatsoever pleased Him. The Lord hath been mindful of us, and He shall bless us: He shall bless the house of Israel, He shall bless the house of Aaron. He shall bless them that fear the Lord: both small and

great. Ye are the blessed of the Lord, you and your children. Ye are the blessed of the Lord, Who made heaven and earth.

23 *Psalm* xlii.—*Metrical version.*

As pants the hart for cooling streams,
When heated in the chase,
So longs my soul, O God for Thee,
And Thy refreshing grace

For Thee, my God, the living God,
My thirsty soul doth pine:
Oh! when shall I behold Thy face,
Thy Majesty Divine?

24 *Psalm* xlii. 1.—*Bible version.*

As the hart pants after the water-brooks, so panteth my soul for Thee, O God.

25 1 *Cor.* xv., 49.

As we have borne the image of the earthy, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly. Thanks be to God.

26 *Isaiah* lii., 1, 2, 7, 9, 10.

AWAKE, awake, put on thy strength, O Sion; put on thy beautiful garments, O Jerusalem, thou holy city. Shake thyself from the dust, O Jerusalem; loose thyself from the bands of thy neck, O captive daughter of Sion. How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace; that bringeth glad tidings of good, that publisheth salvation, that saith unto Sion, Thy God reigneth! Break forth into joy, Hallelujah; sing together, ye waste places of Jerusalem: for the Lord hath comforted His people, He hath redeemed Jerusalem. The

Lord hath made bare His holy arm in the sight of all nations, and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God. Hallelujah.

27 *Ephesians* v., 14. *S. John* xi., 25, 26, *&c.*

AWAKE thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light. Awake up, my glory, awake, lute and harp: I myself will awake right early. I am the Resurrection and the Life, saith the Lord; he that liveth and believeth in me shall never die. I am He that liveth and was dead, and behold, I am alive for evermore. The grave cannot praise Thee; death cannot celebrate Thee. The living, the living, he shall praise Thee, as I do this day. I laid me down and slept, and rose up again, for the Lord sustained me. Lo! this is our God; we have waited for Him, and He will save us. This is the Lord; we will be glad and rejoice in His salvation. Hallelujah.

28 *Psalm* lvii., 9—12.

AWAKE up, my glory; awake lute and harp: I myself will awake right early. I will give thanks unto Thee, O Lord, among the people: and I will sing unto Thee among the nations. For the greatness of Thy mercy reacheth unto the heavens: and Thy truth unto the clouds. Set up Thyself O God, above the heavens: and Thy glory above all the earth.

29 *Psalm* lvi., 1—6.

BE merciful unto me, O God, for man goeth about to devour me: he is daily fighting and troubling me. Mine enemies are daily in hand to swallow me up: for they be many that fight against me, O Thou most highest. Nevertheless, though I am sometime afraid: yet put I my trust in Thee. I will praise God, because of His word: I have put my trust in God, and will not fear what flesh can do

unto me. They daily mistake my words: all that they imagine is to do me evil. They hold all together, and keep themselves close: and mark my steps when they lay wait for my soul. Shall they escape for their wickedness: Thou, O God, in Thy displeasure shalt cast them down. In God's word will I rejoice: in the Lord's word will I comfort me. Yea, in God have I put my trust: I will not be afraid what man can do unto me. Hallelujah.

30 *Psalm* lvi., 1, 3, 4.

Be merciful unto me, O God, for man goeth about to devour me: he is daily fighting and troubling me. Nevertheless, though I am sometimes afraid: yet put I my trust in Thee. I will praise God, because of His word: I have put my trust in God, and will not fear what man can do unto me.

31 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 3—10.

Be merciful unto me, O Lord: for I will call daily upon Thee. Comfort the soul of Thy servant: for unto Thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul. For Thou, Lord, art good and gracious: and of great mercy unto all them that call upon Thee. Give ear, Lord, unto my prayer: and ponder the voice of my humble desires. In the time of my trouble I will call upon Thee: for Thou hearest me. Among the gods there is none like unto Thee, O Lord: there is not one that can do as Thou doest. All nations whom Thou hast made shall come and worship Thee, O Lord, and shall glorify Thy name. For Thou art great and doest wondrous things: Thou art God alone.

32 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 3, 4.

Be merciful unto me, O Lord, for I will call daily upon Thee. Comfort the soul of Thy servant: for unto Thee do I lift up my soul.

33 *Isaiah* vii., 14, xl., &c.

BEHOLD a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel, God with us. O thou that tellest good tidings to Sion, get thee up into the high mountain: lift up thy voice with strength: lift it up, be not afraid: say unto the cities of Judah, Behold your God. Arise, shine, for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee. O thou that tellest good tidings to Sion, good tidings to Jerusalem, arise.

34 *Psalm* cxxxiii.

BEHOLD, how good and joyful a thing it is brethren, to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious ointment upon the head, that ran down unto the beard, even unto Aaron's beard, and went down to the skirts of his clothing. Like as the dew of Hermon, which fell upon the hill of Sion. For there the Lord promised his blessing, and life for evermore.

35 *Psalm* cxxxiii., *and* cxxii., 7, 8.

BEHOLD, how good and joyful a thing it is brethren, to dwell together in unity. It is like the dew of Hermon; which fell upon the hill of Sion. For there the Lord promised his blessing: and life for evermore. Peace be within thy walls; and plenteousness within thy palaces. For my brethren and companions' sake, I will wish thee prosperity.

36 *Isaiah* xlii., 1. *S. Luke* i., 68, *&c.*

BEHOLD My servant whom I uphold; Mine elect in whom My soul delighteth; I have put My Spirit upon Him, and He shall bring forth judgment to the Gentiles. Say to the daughter of Sion, Behold thy salvation cometh; behold, His reward is with Him, and His work before Him. Blessed be the Lord God of Israel: for He hath visited and redeemed His people; and hath raised up a mighty salvation for us

in the house of His servant David. That we, being delivered out of the hands of our enemies, might serve Him without fear, in holiness and righteousness before Him all the days of our life. Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest. Hallelujah.

37 *Zech.* ix., 9, 10. *Col.* i., 16.

BEHOLD thy King cometh unto thee. By Him were all things created that are in heaven, and that are in earth. He is the righteous Saviour. He shall speak peace unto the heathen.

38

BEHOLD the Lord, the Ruler, is come: and dominion, power, and empire are in His hand. Give the King Thy judgment, O God: and Thy righteousness unto the King's son.

39 *S. Luke* ii., 10, 11, 14.

BEHOLD, I bring you glad tidings of great joy: which shall be to all people. For unto you this day is born a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. Glory to God on high, and on earth peace, good-will towards men. Hallelujah.

40 *S. Luke* ii., 10, 11.

BEHOLD! I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David, a Saviour which is Christ the Lord.

41 1 *Cor.* xv., 51—57.

BEHOLD I shew you a mystery: we shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: The trumpet shall sound,

and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality. Then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin, and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who giveth us the victory, through our Lord Jesus Christ.

42 *S. John* i., 29. *Isaiah* liii.

BEHOLD the Lamb of God, that taketh away the sins of the world. He was despised and rejected of men, a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief.

43 2 *Sam.* xv., 22.

BEHOLD! to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams:

44 *Jeremiah* xxiii., 5, 6.

BEHOLD, the days come, saith the Lord, that I will raise unto David a righteous Branch: and a King shall reign and prosper and shall execute judgment and justice in the earth. In His days Judah shall be saved, and Israel shall dwell safely. And this is His Name, THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS.

45 *Psalm* cxxxiv.

BEHOLD now praise the Lord, all ye servants of the Lord: Ye that by night do stand in the house of the Lord, Lift up your hands in the sanctuary: and praise the Lord. The Lord that made heaven and earth give thee blessing out of Sion. Hallelujah.

46 *Psalm* cxxxiv., *with Gloria Patri.*

BEHOLD now praise the Lord, O ye servants of the Lord:

Ye that by night do stand in the house of the Lord. Lift up your hands in the sanctuary, and praise the Lord. The Lord that made heaven and earth: give thee blessing out of Sion. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

47 *Psalm* lxxxiv., *&c.*

BEHOLD, O God, our defender, and look upon the face of thine Anointed. Grant the King a long life, and make him glad with the joy of thy countenance. In his time let the righteous flourish, and let peace be in all our borders. Blessed be the name of the Lord, from this time forth for evermore. Amen.

48 *Revelation* ii., 10., *&c.*

BE thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of Life. Be not afraid, My help is nigh. Happy and blest are they who have endured, for though the body dies, the soul shall live for ever.

49 *Psalm* xxvi., 1—7.

BE Thou my judge, O Lord, for I have walked innocently: my trust hath been also in the Lord, therefore I shall not fall. Examine me, O Lord, and prove me: try out my reins, and my heart. For Thy loving-kindness is ever before mine eyes, and I will walk in Thy truth. I will wash my hands in innocency, O Lord, and so will I go to Thine altar, That I may shew the voice of thanksgiving: and tell of all Thy wondrous works.

50 *Psalm* cxxviii., 1—7.

BLESSED are all they that fear the Lord, and walk in His ways. For thou shalt eat the labour of thine hands, O

well is thee and happy shalt thou be. Thy wife shall be as the fruitful vine upon the walls of thine house. Thy children like the olive-branches, round about thy table. Lo, thus shall the man be blessed, that feareth the Lord. Yea, thou shalt see thy children's children, and peace upon Israel.

51 *S. Matthew* v., 3, 7, 8.

BLESSED are the merciful for they shall obtain mercy. Blessed are the poor in spirit, for their's is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are the poor in heart, for they shall see God.

52 *Psalm* lxxxiv., 4—13.

BLESSED are they that dwell in Thy house: they will be alway praising Thee. Blessed is the man whose strength is in Thee: in whose heart are Thy ways. They will go from strength to strength: and unto the God of gods appeareth every one of them in Sion. O Lord God of hosts, hear my prayer: hearken, O God of Jacob. Behold, O God, our defender, and look upon the face of Thine anointed. The Lord God is a light and defence: the Lord God will give grace and worship, and no good thing shall he withhold from them that live a godly life. O Lord God of hosts, blessed is the man that putteth his trust in Thee.

53 *Psalm* lxxxiv., 4, 5, 6, 7.

BLESSED are they that dwell in Thy house, they will be alway praising Thee. Blessed is the man whose strength is in Thee, in whose heart are Thy ways. Who going through the vale of misery use it for a well, and the pools are filled with water. They will go from strength to strength, and unto the God of gods appeareth every one of them in Zion.

54 *Psalm* cxxviii., 1—7.

BLESSED are they that fear the Lord, and walk in His

ways. For thou shalt eat the labours of thine hands: O well is thee and happy shalt thou be. Thy wife shall be as the fruitful vine, upon the walls of thine house. Thy children like the olive-branches, round about thy table. The Lord from out of Sion shall so bless thee: that thou shalt see Jerusalem in prosperity all thy life long. Yea, that thou shalt see thy children's children, and peace upon Israel. Lo, thus shall the man be blessed, that feareth the Lord. Hallelujah.

55

BLESSED are they that wait for Him, for they shall find delight in Him. The host of Midian prevailed, and Israel cried unto the Lord to deliver them: and the angel said unto Gideon, Go in thy might and save Israel, for this day thou shalt smite the Midianites as one man. The arm of the Lord is upon them, by the edge of the sword they fell, and the rolling thunder He cast on all: man against man He set them, none can escape His fury, the sword of the Lord devoureth them all. The Lord He will have mercy, in peace He keepeth Zion.

56 *Psalm* cxix., 1—5, *&c.*

BLESSED are those that are undefiled in the way: and walk in the law of the Lord. Blessed are they that keep his testimonies, and seek him with their whole heart. Thou hast charged, that we shall diligently keep Thy commandments. O that my ways were made so direct, that I might keep Thy statutes. Open Thou mine eyes, that I may see the wondrous things of Thy law. Then will I talk of Thy commandments, and have respect unto Thy ways. My delight shall be in Thy statutes, and I will not forget Thy word. My lips shall speak of Thy praise: when Thou hast taught me Thy statutes. Yea, my tongue shall sing of Thy word: for all Thy commandments are righteous.

57 1 *S. Peter* i., 3, 4, 5, *&c.*

BLESSED be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

which according to His abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled, that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you, who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed at the last time. But as He which hath called you is holy, so be ye holy in all manner of conversation. Pass the time of your sojourning here in fear. See that ye love one another with a pure heart fervently. Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God. For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away, but the word of the Lord endureth for evermore. Amen.

58 *Psalm* lxxii., 18, 19.

BLESSED be the Lord God, even the God of Israel, who only doeth wondrous things; and blessed be the name of His Majesty for ever, and all the earth shall be filled with His Majesty. Amen.

59 *S. Luke* i., 68, 69, 70: ii., 14. *Isaiah* ix., 6, 7.

BLESSED be the Lord God of Israel, for he hath visited and redeemed His people, and hath raised up a horn of salvation for us, as He spake by the mouth of His holy prophets, which have been since the world began. For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given, and the government shall be upon His shoulder, and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the increase of His government and peace there shall be no end. The zeal of the Lord of Hosts will perform this. Glory to God on high, and on earth peace, good will toward men. Glory to God in the highest.

60 *Psalm* lxxii., 18, 19.

BLESSED be the Lord God, the God of Israel: which only

doeth wondrous things. Blessed be the name of His Majesty for ever: and all the earth shall be filled with His Majesty. ✠ Amen. Amen.

61 1 *Chronicles* xxix., 10—13.

BLESSED be Thou, Lord God of Israel our father, for ever and ever. Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for all that is in the heaven, and the earth, is Thine; Thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and Thou art exalted as Head over all. Both riches and honour come of Thee, and Thou reignest over all: and in Thine hand is power and might, and in Thine hand it is to make great, and to give strength unto all. Now therefore, our God, we thank Thee, and praise Thy glorious name.

62 1 *Chron.* xxix., 10, 11. 2 *Chron.* vi., 41. *Ps.* xcvi., 9, *&c.*

BLESSED be Thou, Lord God of Israel our father for ever and ever. Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is Thine. Arise, O Lord into Thy resting place, Thou and the ark of Thy strength: let Thy priests, O Lord God, be clothed with salvation, and let Thy saints rejoice in goodness. O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness. O send out Thy light and Thy truth that they may lead us unto Thy holy hill, and to Thy dwelling, in the voice of praise and thanksgiving among such as keep holy day. Hallelujah. Now unto Him which is, and was, and is to come, and to the seven spirits which are before His throne, and to Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the first begotten of the dead. To the King eternal, immortal, invisible; to the only wise God be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

63 *Psalm* cxii., 1, 2, 3.

BLESSED is the man that feareth the Lord: he hath great

delight in His commandments. His seed shall be mighty upon earth: the generation of the faithful shall be blessed. Riches and plenteousness shall be in his house: and his righteousness endureth for ever.

64 *Psalm* cxii., 1, 2, 3, 6, 7.

BLESSED is the man that feareth the Lord: he hath great delight in His commandments. His seed shall be mighty upon earth: the generation of the faithful shall be blessed. Riches and plenteousness shall be in his house: and his righteousness endureth for ever. He shall never be moved: the righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance. He will not be afraid of any evil tidings: for his heart standeth fast and believeth in the Lord.

65 *Psalm* i., 1—5.

BLESSED is the man that hath not walked in the counsel of the ungodly, nor stood in the way of sinners, and hath not sat in the seat of the scornful. But his delight is in the law of the Lord, and in His law will he exercise himself day and night. And he shall be like a tree planted by the water-side, that will bring forth his fruit in due season. His leaf also shall not wither; and look, whatsoever he doeth it shall prosper. As for the ungodly, it is not so with them: but they are like the chaff, which the wind scattereth away from the face of the earth.

66 *Psalm* xxxii., 1, 2, 11, 12.

BLESSED is he whose unrighteousness is forgiven, and whose sin is covered: blessed is the man unto whom the Lord imputeth no sin. Great plagues remain for the ungodly: but whoso putteth his trust in the Lord, mercy embraceth him on every side. Be glad, O ye righteous, and rejoice in the Lord. Hallelujah! Amen.

67 *Psalm* xli., 1.

BLESSED is he that considereth the poor and needy: the Lord shall deliver him in the time of trouble.

68 *S. Matthew* xxi., 9.

BLESSED is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Amen.

69 *Revelation* vii., 12.

BLESSING, and glory, and wisdom, and thanksgiving, and honour, and power, and might, be unto our God for ever and ever.

70

BLESSING, glory, wisdom, and thanks, power and might, be unto our God for evermore. Amen. Hallelujah. O praise the Lord of heaven, praise Him in the height. O praise the name of the Lord, His name is excellent; and His praise above heaven and earth. O be joyful in God all ye lands: make His praise to be glorious; sing praises unto the honour of His name. Glory and worship are before Him, power and honour are in His sanctuary.

To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
The God whom heaven's triumphant host,
And suffering saints on earth adore,
Be glory: as in ages past,
As now it is, and so shall last,
When time itself shall be no more.

Amen. Hallelujah.

71 *Revelation* v., 13.

BLESSING, and honour, and glory, and power, be unto

Him that sitteth upon the Throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever.

72 *Revelation* xiv., 13.

BLEST are the departed who in the Lord are sleeping, from henceforth for evermore: they rest from their labours, and their works follow them.

73 *Joel* ii., 1.

BLOW ye the trumpet in Zion, and sound an alarm in My holy mountain: let all the inhabitants of the land tremble: for the day of the Lord cometh, it is nigh at hand.

74 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 1. *Isaiah* lxiv., 10.

BOW Thine ear, O Lord, and hear: let Thine anger cease from us. Sion, Thy Sion is wasted and brought low: Jerusalem is wasted quite, desolate and void.

75 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 1, 3, 4, *&c.*

Bow down Thine ear, O Lord, and hear me: for I am poor and in misery. Be merciful unto me, O Lord; for I will call upon Thee. Comfort the soul of Thy servant: for unto Thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul. For Thou, Lord, art good and gracious: and of great mercy unto all them that call upon Thee. I will thank Thee, O Lord my God, with all my heart, and will praise Thy name for evermore, for Thy great mercy toward me. Hallelujah. Amen.

76 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 1—4.

Bow down Thine ear, O Lord, and hear me: for I am poor and in misery. Comfort the soul of Thy servant: for unto Thee do I lift up my soul.

77 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 1; xxv., 17, *&c.*

Bow down Thine ear, O Lord, for I am poor and in misery. Look upon mine adversity and misery, and forgive me all my sin. Turn Thee again, O Lord, and let Thine anger cease from us.

78 *Isaiah* lii., 9, 10.

BREAK forth into joy, sing together, ye waste places of Jerusalem: break forth into joy; for the Lord hath comforted His people, he hath redeemed Jerusalem. The Lord hath made bare His holy arm in the eyes of all nations. Hallelujah.

79 *Psalm* xxix., 1—4, 10.

BRING unto the Lord, O ye mighty, bring young rams unto the Lord; ascribe unto the Lord worship and strength. Give the Lord the honour due unto His name; worship the Lord with holy worship. It is the Lord that commandeth the waters; it is the glorious God that maketh the thunder. It is the Lord that ruleth the sea; the voice of the Lord is mighty in operation; the voice of the Lord is a glorious voice. The Lord shall give strength unto His people: the Lord shall give His people the blessing of peace. Amen.

80 *Psalm* cxv., 12. 1 *S. John* iii. 1.

BUT the Lord is mindful of His own, He remembers His children. Bow down before Him, ye mighty, for the Lord is near us. See what manner of love the Father hath bestowed on us in His goodness, that we should be called the sons of God.

81 *Psalm* cxxxvii.

BY the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept, when

we remembered thee, O Zion. As for our harps, we hanged them up upon the trees that are therein. For they that led us away captive required of us a song, and melody in our heaviness: sing us one of the songs of Zion. How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land? If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning. If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth: yea, if I prefer not Jerusalem in my mirth. Remember the children of Edom, O Lord, in the day of Jerusalem: how they said, Down with it, down with it, even to the ground. O daughter of Babylon, wasted with misery: yea, happy shall he be that rewardeth thee, as thou hast served us.

82 *Psalm* xxv., 5, 6.

CALL to remembrance, O Lord, Thy tender mercies, and Thy loving kindnesses, which have been ever of old. O remember not the sins and offences of my youth; but according to Thy mercy think Thou upon me, O Lord, for Thy goodness.

83 *Psalm* li., 8, 11, 12, 17.

CAST me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy Spirit. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and a contrite heart, Thou wilt not despise, O God. Make me to hear joy and gladness, that the bones which Thou hast broken may rejoice.

84 *Psalm* lv., 22.

CAST thy burden upon the Lord, and He shall sustain thee. He never will suffer the righteous to fall. He is at thy right hand. Thy mercy, Lord, is great; and far above the heavens—let none be made ashamed that wait upon Thee.

85 *Romans* vi., 9, 10, 11.

CHRIST being raised from the dead dieth no more; death hath no more dominion over Him. For in that He died, He died unto sin once: but in that He liveth, He liveth unto God. Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin: but alive unto God, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

86 1 *Cor.* xv., 20, 21, 22.

CHRIST is risen from the dead and become the first fruits of them that slept. For since by man came death by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

87 1 *Cor.* v., 7, 8.

CHRIST our passover is sacrificed for us, therefore let us keep the feast. Not with the old leaven, nor with the leaven of malice and wickedness; but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

88 *Hosea* vi., 1. 1 *Sam.* ii., 5—8. *Job* v., 17.

COME and let us return unto the Lord, for He hath torn and He will heal us: He hath smitten and He will bind us up. The Lord killeth and maketh alive: He bringeth down to the grave and bringeth up. The Lord maketh poor and maketh rich: He bringeth low and lifteth up. The pillars of the earth are the Lord's, and He hath set the world upon them. Behold, happy is the man whom God correcteth! for He maketh sore and bindeth up; He woundeth and His hands make whole.

89 *Psalm* xcv., 6.

COME let us worship and fall down: Let us kneel before

the Lord our Maker: For He is the Lord our God, and we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand.

90 *Veni Creator Spiritus.*

COME, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire,
And lighten with celestial fire;
Thou the anointing Spirit art,
Who dost Thy seven-fold gifts impart.

Thy blessed unction from above,
Is comfort, life, and fire of love.
Enable with perpetual light
The dulness of our blinded sight.

Anoint and cheer our soiled face,
With the abundance of thy grace.
Keep far our foes, give peace at home:
Where Thou art guide, no ill can come.

Teach us to know the Father, Son,
And Thee of Both, to be but One:
That, through the ages all along,
This may be our endless song:

Praise to Thy eternal merit,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

91

COME up hither and I will shew thee what shall be hereafter. And lo! a throne was set in heaven, and on the throne One stood, and a rainbow was round about the throne; and the Elders knelt before the throne clad in white raiment, and on their heads were crowns of gold: and from the throne came thunderings and lightnings and voices crying day and night, Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, who wast, who art, and art to come.

92 *S. Matthew* xi. 28—30.

COME unto Me, all ye that labour, and are heavy laden,

and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn of Me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.

93 *Isaiah* xl., 1—5.

COMFORT ye, comfort ye My people, saith your God. Speak ye comfortably to Jerusalem, and cry unto her, that her warfare is accomplished, that her iniquity is pardoned. The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain and hill made low: the crooked straight, and the rough places plain. And the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together: for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it.

94 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 4.

COMFORT the soul of thy servant: for unto Thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul.

95 *Psalm* xxv., 18, 19.

CONSIDER mine enemies, O Lord, how many they are. O keep my soul and deliver me; O let me not be confounded, for I have put my trust in Thee.

96

CRADLED all lowly, behold the new-born Child,
A Saviour holy, in dwelling rude and wild!
Ne'er yet was regal state of monarch proud and great
Who ruled a nation's fate,
So glorious as the manger bed of Bethlehem.

No longer sorrow as without hope, O earth;
A brighter morrow dawned with that Infant's birth!
Our sins were great and sore, but these our Saviour bore,
And God was wrath no more:
'Twas His Incarnate Son that lay in Bethlehem.

Babe weak and wailing, in lowly village-stall
Thy glory veiling, Thou cam'st to die for all!
O Thou who cam'st to heal, to us Thyself reveal,
As now in faith we kneel
Beside Thy cradle, Blessed babe of Bethlehem.

Hallelujah! Amen.

97 *Isaiah* xii., 6.

CRY aloud and shout, for great is the Holy One of Israel in the midst of thee.

98 *S. Luke* xxiii., 28.

DAUGHTERS of Jerusalem, weep not for me, but weep for yourselves, and your children.

99 *S. Luke* xxiii., 28, 33. *S. Matthew* xxvii. 39.

DAUGHTERS of Jerusalem, weep not for me, but weep for yourselves, and for your children. And when they were come to the place called Calvary, there they crucified Jesus. And they that passed by reviled Him, wagging their heads. Then said Jesus, Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do.

100

DAUGHTERS of Zion, weep for yourselves, and your children: for surely the days are coming when they shall exclaim to the mountains, Fall on us; and to the hills, Hide us.

101 *Psalm* cvi., 45, 46.

DELIVER us, O Lord our God, and gather us from among the heathen; that we may give thanks unto Thy holy name, and make our boast of Thy praise. Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, from everlasting, and world without end: and let all the people say, Amen.

102 *Acts* viii., 2. *Psalm* cvi., 13. *Psalm* lxix., 31.

DEVOUT men carried Stephen to his burial; and made great lamentation over him. Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. Therefore let us praise the name of God with a song, and magnify Him with thanksgiving. Hallelujah. Amen.

103 *Psalm* cxxv., 4, 5.

Do well, O Lord, unto those that are good, and true of heart. As for such as turn back unto their own wickedness, the Lord shall lead them forth with evildoers: but peace shall be upon Israel.

104 *Proverbs* viii., 1, 4, 17, 32, 33, 34.

DOTH not wisdom cry, and understanding put forth her voice? Unto you, O men, I call; and my voice is to the sons of man. I love them that love Me; and those that seek Me early shall find Me. Now therefore hearken unto Me. O ye children: for blessed are they that keep my ways. Hear instruction, and be wise, and refuse it not. Blessed is the man that heareth Me, watching daily at My gates, waiting at the posts of My doors.

105

DRIVE far from us the mortal foe,
  Grant us to have Thy peace within;
That with Thy light and guidance blest
  We may escape the snares of sin.

106 *Isaiah* xlv., 8. *S. Luke* i., 28, 31, 32, 33, *&c.*

DROP down, ye heavens, from above, and let the skies pour down righteousness: let the earth open, and let them bring forth salvation, and let righteousness spring up together. Hail! thou that art highly favoured: the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women. Behold, thou shalt conceive and bring forth a Son, and thou shalt call His name Jesus. He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest. And of His kingdom there shall be no end. Thou art fairer than the children of men: full of grace are thy lips, because God hath blessed thee for ever. Amen.

107 *Isaiah* xlv., 8. *S. John* i., 14. *Psalm* lxxxv., 9. 10, 11.

DROP down, ye heavens, from above, and let the skies pour down righteousness: let the earth open and let them bring forth salvation, and let righteousness spring up together. The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the Only-begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth. His salvation is nigh them that fear Him: that glory may dwell in our land. Mercy and truth are met together: righteousness and peace have kissed each other. Truth shall flourish out of the earth: and righteousness hath looked down from heaven.

108 *Isaiah* xlv., 8. *Psalm* xix., 1.

DROP down, ye heavens, from above, and let the skies pour down righteousness: let the earth open, and let them bring forth salvation. The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament showeth His handiwork.

109 *Psalm* cxliii., 2.

ENTER not into judgment with Thy servant, O Lord: for in Thy sight shall no man living be justified.

110 *Psalm* cxxvii.

EXCEPT the Lord build the house: their labour is but lost that build it. Except the Lord keep the city: the watchman waketh but in vain. It is but lost labour that ye haste to rise up early, and so late take rest, and eat the bread of carefulness: for so He giveth His beloved sleep. Lo, children and the fruit of the womb are an heritage and gift that cometh of the Lord. Like as the arrows in the hand of the giant: even so are the young children. Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them: they shall not be ashamed when they speak with their enemies in the gate.

111

FATHER of Heaven! in Whom our hopes confide,
Whose power defends us and Whose precepts guide;
In life our Guardian, and in death our Friend,
Glory supreme be Thine, till time shall end.

112 *Joel* ii., 21—26.

FEAR not, O land; be glad and rejoice: for the Lord will do great things. Be not afraid, ye beasts of the field: for the pastures of the wilderness do spring, for the tree beareth her fruit, the fig tree and vine do yield their strength. Be glad then, ye children of Zion, and rejoice in the Lord your God. The floors shall be full of wheat, and ye shall eat in plenty, and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, that hath dealt wonderously with you.

113 *S. Luke* ii.

FEAR not: we bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all people. Unto you is born this day a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. Glory to God in the highest, peace on earth, goodwill to men.

114 *Isaiah* lx., 2, 3. *Isaiah* ix., 2, 6.

For, behold, darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but the Lord shall arise upon thee, and His glory shall be seen upon thee. And the Gentiles shall come to Thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising. The people that walked in darkness, have seen a great light, and they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined. For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given: and the government shall be upon His shoulder: and His name shall be called Wonderful, Councillor, the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.

115 *Psalm* xci., 11, 12.

For He shall give His angels charge over Thee: and they shall protect thee in all the ways thou goest. And their hands shall uphold and guide thee: lest thou dash thy foot against a stone.

116

For our offences Jesus took upon Him humility, and unto death even upon the cross became He obedient. God therefore hath exalteth Him, and bestowed on Him a name high above every name. Hallelujah.

117 *Isaiah* lx., 6.

For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given, and the government shall be upon His shoulder: and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the Mighty God, the everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.

118 *Psalm* xxxviii., 21, 22.

Forsake me not, O Lord my God; be not Thou far from me. Haste Thee to help me, O Lord God of my salvation.

119 *Malachi* i., 2.

FROM the rising of the sun, even unto the going down of the same, My name shall be great among the Gentiles; and in every place incense shall be offered unto My name: for My name shall be great among the heathen. Thus saith the Lord.

120 *Psalm* lxxii., 8, 18, 19.

GIVE the King Thy judgments, O God, and Thy righteousness unto the King's son. Then shall He judge the people according unto right, and defend the poor. The mountains also shall bring peace, and the little hills righteousness unto the people. They shall fear Thee as long as the sun and moon endureth, from one generation to another. In His time shall the righteous flourish, yea, and abundance of peace, so long as the moon endureth. His dominion shall be also from the one sea to the other, and from the flood unto the world's end. Blessed be the Lord God, even the God of Israel, which only doeth wondrous things; and blessed be the name of His Majesty for ever, and all the earth shall be filled with His Majesty. Amen.

121

GIVE ear unto my prayer, O Lord my God, and hide not Thyself from my supplication. Attend to me and hear me. I mourn in my complaint, and make a noise. My heart is sore pained within me.

122 *Psalm* xvii., 1, 5.

GIVE ear unto me, Lord, I beseech Thee, for I have walked in Thy commandments: let me be judged with righteous judgment. Hold up my goings in Thy paths, that my steps may not be moved.

123 *Psalm* xvii., 1 2, 5.

GIVE ear unto me, Lord, I beseech Thee, for I have walked in Thy commandments: let me be judged with righteous judgment. O let my sentence come forth from Thy presence. O hold Thou me up, guide me in the path of Thy commandments: I am Thy servant, teach me Thy statutes; hold up my goings in all Thy paths, so that my footsteps may not be moved.

124 *Psalm* xxix., 2, 3, 4, 9, 10.

GIVE the Lord the honour due unto His name: worship the Lord with holy worship. It is the Lord that commandeth the waters, it is the glorious God that maketh the thunder. The voice of the Lord is a glorious voice. The Lord sitteth above the water-flood: and the Lord remaineth a king for ever. The Lord shall give strength unto His people: the Lord shall give His people the blessing of peace. Hallelujah.

125 *Gloria in excelsis.*

GLORY be to God on high, and in earth peace, goodwill towards men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesu Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For Thou only art holy, Thou only art the Lord; Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father.

126 *S. Luke* ii., 14.

GLORY to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will towards men.

127 *S. John* iv., 24.

GOD is a Spirit: and they who worship Him, must worship Him in spirit and in truth.

128 *Psalm* xlvii., 5, 6, 7.

GOD is gone up with a merry noise: and the Lord with the sound of the trumpet. O sing praises, sing praises unto our God; O sing praises, sing praises to the Lord the King. For God is the King of all the earth; sing ye praises with the understanding. God reigneth over the heathen; God sitteth upon His holy seat. God, which is highly exalted, doth defend the earth, as it were with a shield. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

129 *Habakkuk* iii., 3, 6.

GOD came from Teman, and the Holy One from Mount Paran. His glory covered the heavens, and the earth was full of His praise. He stood, and measured the earth; He beheld, and drove asunder the nations; and the everlasting mountains were scattered, the perpetual hills did bow; His ways are everlasting. Hallelujah. Amen.

130 *Gen.* i, 29; viii. 22; *Deut.* vii. 9; *Psalm* iii., 4, 7, 8.

GOD said, Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat. While the earth

remaineth, seed-time and harvest, cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night, shall not cease. Know, therefore, that the Lord thy God, He is God, the Faithful God, which keepeth covenant and mercy with them that love Him and keep His commandments, to a thousand generations. He hath made His wonderful works to be remembered ; the Lord is gracious and full of compassion. The works of His hands are verity and judgment ; all His commandments are sure. They stand fast for ever and ever, and are done in truth and uprightness. Praise ye the Lord ! I will praise the Lord with my whole heart ; in the assembly of the upright, and in the congregation.

131 *Psalm* xlvi., 1—4 ; cviii., 12 ; xxix., 10.

God is our hope and strength : a very present help in trouble. Therefore will we not fear, though the earth be moved, and though the waters rage and swell. Our fathers hoped in Thee, they trusted in Thee, and Thou didst deliver them. O be Thou our help in trouble : for vain is the help of man. The Lord will give strength unto His people ; the Lord will give His people the blessing of peace.

132 *Psalm* xlvi. 1—6.

God is our hope and strength : a very present help in trouble. Therefore will we not fear, though the earth be moved, and though the hills be carried into the midst of the sea ; though the waters rage and swell, and though the mountains shake at the tempest of the same. The rivers of the flood thereof shall make glad the city of God. God is in the midst of her, therefore she shall not be removed. The heathen make much ado, the kingdoms of the earth are moved : but God hath shewed His voice, and the earth shall melt away.

133 *Psalm* xlvi., 1—10.

God is our hope and strength : a very present help in

trouble. Therefore will we not fear, though the earth tremble; though the waters rage and swell. For God is in the midst of her, therefore shall we not be moved: God is our hope and refuge. O behold the works of the Lord. He maketh wars to cease in all the world; He is exalted among the heathen; he is exalted in the earth.

134 *Collect for 21st Sunday after Trinity.*

GRANT, we beseech Thee, merciful Lord, to Thy faithful people pardon and peace; that they may be cleansed from all their sins, and serve Thee with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

135 *Collect for 5th Sunday after Trinity.*

GRANT, O Lord, we beseech Thee, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by Thy governance, that Thy Church may joyfully serve Thee in all godly quietness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

136 *Collect for 9th Sunday after Trinity.*

GRANT to us, Lord, we beseech Thee, the spirit to think and do always such things as be rightful; that we, who cannot do anything that is good without Thee, may by Thee be enabled to live according to Thy will, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

137

GRANT us Thy peace, Almighty Lord,
The source of every blessing;
We cannot keep Thy saving Word,
Unless Thy peace possessing.
Thy peace O give!
By which we live.

138

GREAT and wonderful are all Thy works, O Thou Almighty God, how just and true are all Thy commandments, Jehovah, King of Saints. O Lord, who shall not fear thee! Lord, who shall not glorify Thee. Thou alone art holy. All nations of the earth shall come and worship at Thy throne. Hallelujah. Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and evermore. Hallelujah. Amen.

139

GREAT GOD! what do I see and hear?
  The end of things created!
The Judge of mankind doth appear
  On clouds of glory seated!
The trumpet sounds, the graves restore
The dead which they contained before;
  Prepare my soul to meet Him.

140 *Revelation* xv., 3, 4; xiv., 7; v. 3.

GREAT and marvellous are Thy works, Lord God Almighty; just and true are Thy ways, Thou King of saints. Who shall not fear Thee, O Lord, and glorify Thy name? for Thou art holy: for all nations shall come and worship before Thee; for Thy judgments are made manifest. Fear God, and give glory to His name; worship Him who made heaven and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters. Fear God, worship Him. Salvation, and glory, and honour, and power, be unto Him that sitteth on the throne, and to the Lamb, who liveth for ever and ever. Amen. Hallelujah.

141 *Revelation* xv., 3, 4.

GREAT and marvellous are Thy works, Lord God Almighty; just and true are Thy ways, Thou King of saints. Who shall not fear Thee, O Lord, and glorify Thy name? for

Thou only art holy: for all nations shall come and worship before Thee: for Thy judgments are made manifest.

142 *Psalm* cxlv., 3, 4.

GREAT is the Lord and marvellous, worthy to be praised: there is no end of His greatness. One generation shall praise Thy works unto another, and declare Thy power. Amen.

143

GREAT is the Lord, and righteous, marvellous, worthy to be praised: and all generations shall praise His holy name. Heaven and earth shall praise His name for ever and ever, and declare His power and majesty!

144 *Psalm* cxlvii., 5.

GREAT is the Lord, and great is His power; yea, and His wisdom is infinite.

145

HAIL, Lord Almighty, Hail. For God shall lead them, He shall guide them, God from every face shall wipe off every tear. Thou hast redeemed us, and we are Thine.

146 *Isaiah* ix., 6.

HALLELUJAH! for unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given, and the government shall be upon His shoulder, and His name shall be called Wonderful, Councillor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

147 *Revelation* xix. 6, 16.

HALLELUJAH! for the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth.

The kingdom of this world is become the kingdom of our Lord, and of His Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever. King of Kings, and Lord of Lords. Hallelujah.

148

HALLELUJAH! to the Father; and to the Son of God.
Praise the Lord, ye everlasting choir, in holy songs of joy!
Worlds unborn shall sing His glory—the exalted Son of God.
Praise the Lord in holy songs of joy.

149 *Psalm* xli., 1, 2. *Metrical version.*

HAPPY the man whose tender care
Relieves the poor distrest:
When troubles compass him around,
The Lord shall give him rest.

The Lord his life, with blessings crowned,
In safety shall prolong;
And disappoint the will of those
That seek to do him wrong.

150 *Psalm* lxx., 1, 2, 3, 4.

HASTE Thee, O God, to deliver me; make haste to help me, O Lord. Let them be ashamed and confounded that seek after my soul. Let them for their reward be soon brought to shame that cry over me, There, there! But let all those that seek Thee, be joyful and glad in Thee; and let all such as delight in Thy salvation, say alway, the Lord be praised. Amen.

151 *Psalm* lxx., 1, 2, 5, 6.

HASTE Thee, O Lord, to deliver me; make haste to help me, O Lord. Let them be ashamed and confounded that seek after my soul; let them be turned backward and put to confusion that wish me evil. As for me I am poor and in

misery, haste Thee unto me, O God. Thou art my helper and Redeemer; O Lord make no long tarrying.

152 *Psalm* li. 1.

HAVE mercy upon me, O God, after Thy great goodness; according to the multitude of Thy mercies do away mine offences.

153 *Psalm* li., 1—9.

HAVE mercy upon me, O God, after Thy great goodness; and according to the multitude of Thy mercies do away mine offences. Wash me throughly from my wickedness; and cleanse thou me from my sin. For I acknowledge my faults; and my sin is ever before me. Against Thee only have I sinned, and done this evil in Thy sight: that Thou mightest be justified in Thy saying, and clear when Thou art judged. Behold, I was shapen in wickedness; and in sin hath my mother conceived me. But lo, Thou requirest truth in the inward parts; and shalt make me to understand wisdom secretly. Thou shalt purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; Thou shalt wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Thou shalt make me to hear of joy and gladness; that the bones which Thou hast broken may rejoice. Turn Thy face from my sins, and put out all my misdeeds.

154 *Psalm* li., 1, 2, 3, 8, 12, 13, 14.

HAVE mercy upon me, O God, after Thy great goodness; according to the multitude of Thy mercies do away mine offences. Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness, and cleanse me from my sin; for I acknowledge my faults, and my sin is ever before me. O give me the comfort of Thy help again, and stablish me with Thy free spirit. Then shall I teach Thy ways unto the wicked, and sinners shall be converted unto Thee. O God, thou art the God of my health: my tongue shall sing of Thy righteousness. Thou shalt make me to hear of joy and gladness, that the bones which Thou hast broken may rejoice. Hallelujah. Amen.

155 *Psalm* vi., 2, 3, 4.

HAVE mercy upon me, O Lord, for I am weak. O Lord, heal me, for my bones are vexed. My soul also is sore troubled; but, Lord, how long wilt Thou punish me? Turn thee, O Lord, and deliver my soul; save me for Thy mercies' sake. Amen.

156 *Psalm* xc., 9.

HAVE mercy, Lord; O Lord, have mercy upon us. For when Thou art angry, all our days are gone: we bring our years to an end, as a tale that is told.

157

HAVE mercy, O Lord, for I am in trouble. Mine eye is consumed for very heaviness. In Thee, O Lord, have I put my trust, let me never be put to confusion. Make haste to deliver me. O Lord, show Thy servant the light of Thy countenance; but my hope hath been in Thee; I have said Thou art my God.

158 *Psalm* cv., 21, 35, 36, *&c.*

HE sent a thick darkness over all the land, even darkness which might be felt. He smote all the first born of Egypt: the chief of all their strength. But as for His people He led them forth like sheep, he brought them out with silver and gold: there was not one feeble person among their tribes.

159 *S. Matthew* xxiv., 13.

HE that shall endure to the end, shall be saved.

160 *Isaiah* liii., 8. *Psalm* xvi. 10; xxiv., 8, 10.

HE was cut off out of the land of the living: for the trans-

gression of Thy people was He stricken. But Thou didst not leave His soul in hell, nor didst Thou suffer Thy Holy One to see corruption. Lift up your heads, O ye gates; and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors, and the King of Glory shall come in. Who is the King of Glory? The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle: The Lord of Hosts, He is the King of Glory.

161 *Isaiah* liii., 3, 4, 5, 6.

He was despised and rejected of men, a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief. Surely, He hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows. He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon Him, and with His stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way, and the Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

162 *Isaiah* xxv., 8. 1 *Cor.* xv., 34, 51, 52, 53.

He will swallow up death in victory: and the Lord God shall wipe tears from off all faces; the rebuke of His people shall He take away from all the earth; for the Lord hath spoken it. For this mortal must put on immortality. Awake to righteousness, and sin not; for some have not the knowledge of God. They that put their trust in Him shall understand the truth. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed; in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump.

163 *Psalm* xxvii., 8, 10, 11.

Hearken unto my voice, O Lord, when I cry unto Thee; have mercy upon me, and hear me. O hide not Thou Thy face from me, nor cast away Thy servant in Thy displeasure. Thou hast been our succour; leave us not, neither forsake us, O God of our salvation.

164 *Psalm* cxliii., 7, 8, 10.

HEAR me, O Lord, and that soon, for my spirit waxeth faint; hide not Thy face from me, lest I be like unto them that go down into the pit. O let me hear Thy loving-kindness betimes in the morning, for in Thee is my trust; shew Thou me the way that I should walk in, for I lift up my soul unto Thee. Teach me to do the thing that pleaseth Thee, for Thou art my God, let Thy loving Spirit lead me forth into the land of righteousness. Amen.

165 *Psalm* iv., 1, *and Gloria Patri.*

HEAR me when I call, O God of my righteousness: Thou hast set me at liberty when I was in trouble; have mercy upon me, and hearken unto my prayer. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

166 *Psalm* lxi., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

HEAR my crying, O God; give hear unto my prayer. From the ends of the earth will I call upon Thee, when my heart is in heaviness. O set me up upon the rock that is higher than I; for Thou hast been my hope, and a strong tower for me against the enemy. I will dwell in Thy tabernacle for ever; and my trust shall be under the covering of Thy wings. For Thou, O Lord, hast heard my desire; and hast given an heritage unto those that fear Thy name. Amen.

167 *Psalm* lxi., 1, 2, 3, 8.

HEAR my crying, O God; give ear unto my prayer. From the ends of the earth will I call upon Thee, when my heart is in heaviness. O set me upon the rock that is higher than I, for Thou hast been my hope, and a strong tower for me against my enemies. So will I always sing praise unto Thy name, that I may daily perform my vows.

168 *Psalm* lv., 1, 2, 3, 4.

HEAR my prayer, O God; and hide not Thyself from my petition. Take heed unto me, and hear me; how I mourn in my prayer, and am vexed. My heart is disquieted within me; and the fear of death is fallen upon me. Then I said, O that I had wings like a dove; then would I flee away, and be at rest.

169

HEAR my prayer, O God incline Thine ear! Thyself from my petition do not hide. Take heed to me! Hear how in prayer I mourn to Thee. Without Thee all is dark: I have no guide.

The enemy standeth; the godless come fast:
Iniquity, hatred upon me they cast;
The wicked oppress me. Ah! where shall I fly,
Perplex'd and bewildered, O God, hear my cry.
My heart is sorely pain'd within my breast;
My soul with deathly terrors is oppress'd;
Trembling and fearfulness upon me fall,
With horror overwhelm'd, Lord, hear me call.
O for the wings of a dove,
Far away would I rove:
In the wilderness build me a nest,
And remain there for ever at rest.

170 *Psalm* cii., 1, 2.

HEAR my prayer, O Lord, and let my crying come unto Thee. Hide not Thy face from me in the time of my trouble; incline Thine ear unto me when I call; O hear me, and that right soon.

171 *Psalm* cxliii., 1, 7, 8, 10, 11.

HEAR my prayer, O Lord, and consider my desire; hearken unto me for Thy truth and righteousness' sake.

Hear me, O Lord, for my spirit waxeth faint; hide not Thy face, lest I be like them that go down into the pit. O let me hear Thy loving kindness, O Lord, for in Thee is my trust; shew me the way that I should walk in, for I lift up my soul unto thee. Teach me to do the thing that pleaseth thee, for thou art my God; let Thy loving spirit lead me forth into the land of righteousness. Quicken me, O Lord, for Thy name's sake; and for Thy righteousness' sake, bring my soul out of trouble.

172 *Psalm* cii., 1, 2, 11, 12, 23, 24.

HEAR my prayer, O Lord, and let my cry come unto Thee. Hide not Thy face from me in the day when I am in trouble: incline Thine ear unto me in the day, when I call, answer me speedily. He weakened my strength in the way, He shortened my days. I said, O my God, take me not away in the midst of my days; Thy years are throughout all generations. My days are like a shadow that declineth, and I am withered like grass. But Thou, O Lord, shalt endure for ever, and Thy remembrance throughout all ages. Amen.

173 *Psalm* xxx, 11, 12, 13.

HEAR, O Lord, and have mercy upon me; Lord, be Thou my helper. Thou hast turned my heaviness into joy; Thou hast put off my sackcloth, and girded me with gladness. Therefore shall every good man sing of Thy praise without ceasing. O my God, I will give thanks unto Thee for ever. Hallelujah.

174 *Psalm* xvii., 1, 5, 9, 16.

HEAR, O Lord, and consider my complaint: give ear unto my prayer, that goeth not out of feigned lips. O hold up my goings in Thy path; and hide me from the ungodly that trouble me to take away my soul. As for me, I will behold Thy presence in righteousness, and when I awake up after

Thy likeness, I shall be satisfied with it. Mine enemies compass me round about to take away my soul. Up, Lord, disappoint them, and cast them down.

175 *Baruch* iii., 2, 5, 6.

HEAR, O Lord, and have mercy, for Thou art merciful; and have pity upon us, because we have sinned before Thee. Remember not the iniquities of our forefathers, but think upon Thy power and Thy name now at this time; for Thou art the Lord our God, and Thee, O Lord, will we praise.

176 *Psalm* lxxx., 1, 7.

Hear, O Thou Shepherd of Israel, Thou that leadest Joseph like a sheep: show Thyself also, Thou that sittest between the cherubim. Turn us again, O God of hosts, show the light of Thy countenance, and we shall be whole. O Lord God of hosts, how long wilt Thou be angry with Thy people that prayeth? Thou feedest them with the bread of tears, and givest them plenteousness of tears to drink. Let Thy hand be upon the man of Thy right hand, and upon the son of man whom Thou madest so strong for Thine own self. So will we not go back from Thee; O let us live, and we shall call upon Thy name.

177

HEAR, O heavens, and give ear, O earth; for the Lord hath spoken. I have nourished and brought up children, and they have rebelled against me. Ah, sinful nation, people laden with iniquity, a seed of evildoers, children that are corrupters! They have forsaken the Lord, they have provoked the Holy One of Israel unto anger. Wash you, make you clean; put away the evil of your doings from before Mine eyes; cease to do evil; learn to do well; seek judgment, relieve the oppressed, judge the fatherless, plead for the widow. Come now, and let us reason together, saith the Lord; Though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be white

as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool.

178

HEAR the voice and prayer of Thy servants, which they make before Thee this day: That Thine eyes may be open towards this house day and night, ever towards this place of which Thou hast said, My Name shall be there. And when thou hearest, have mercy upon them.

179

HEAR ye, Israel, what the Lord speaketh; O hadst thon heeded My commandments! Who hath believed our report, and to whom is the arm of the Lord revealed? Thus saith the Lord, the Redeemer of Israel, and His Holy One: I am He that comforteth, be not afraid; for I am thy God, I will strengthen thee. Say who art thou, that thou art afraid of a man that shall die; And forgettest the Lord thy Maker, who hath stretched forth the heavens and laid the earth's foundations? Be not afraid, thy help is near. Though thousands languish, and fall beside thee, and ten thousand around thee perish, it shall not come nigh thee.

180

Psalm lxxix., 8, 9.

HELP us, O Lord, for the glory of Thy name. O deliver us for Thy mercies' sake, and be merciful unto our sins for Thy name's sake. O remember not our old sins, but have mercy upon us, for we are come to great misery.

181

HIDE not Thou Thy face from us, O Lord, and cast not off Thy servants in Thy displeasure; for we confess our sins unto Thee, and hide not our unrighteousness. For Thy mercy's sake deliver us from all our sins.

182

HOLY, holy, Lord God Almighty, who was, and is, and is to come. Who shall not glorify Thy name? for Thou only art holy, Thou only art the Lord. Worthy is the Lamb that was slain, and hath redeemed us to God by His blood, to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing. Blessing and honour, glory and power, be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever. Amen.

183 *Revelation* iv., 8, 11.

HOLY, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, which was, and is, and is to come. Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power; for Thou hast created all things, and for Thy pleasure they are, and were created. Hallelujah. Amen.

184 *S. Matthew* xxi., 9. *S. Luke*, xix., 38.

HOSANNA to the Son of David: blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord! Blessed be the king of Israel; blessed be the king that cometh in the name of the Lord. Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest places. Hosanna in the highest heavens.

185 *Psalm* cxxxix., 17, 23, 24.

How dear are Thy counsels unto me, O God: O how great is the sum of them. Try me, prove me, and examine my thoughts, and seek the ground of my heart. Look well if there be any way of wickedness in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

186 *Psalm* viii., 1—8.

How excellent, Lord, our Lord, how excellent is Thy Name in all the earth; Thou hast set Thy glory above the

heavens. Out of the mouths of babes and sucklings hast Thou ordained strength, that Thou mightest still the enemy and the avenger. I will consider Thy fingers' work; the heavens, the moon, the stars, which Thou hast ordained. What is man that Thou art mindful of him, and the son of man, that Thou visitest him? Thou madest him a little lower than the angels, to crown him with glory and honour; To have dominion over the works of Thy hands, Thou hast put all things under his feet: All sheep and oxen, yea, and the beasts of the field, the fowls of the air, and the fishes of the sea, and whatsoever walketh through the paths of the sea.

187

Numbers xxiv., 5, 6.

How goodly are Thy tents, O Jacob, and thy tabernacles, O Israel. As the valleys are they spread forth; as gardens by the river's side.

188

How lovely are Thy dwellings fair,
O Lord of Hosts, how dear
The pleasant tabernacles are,
Where Thou dost dwell so near!

My soul doth long and almost die
Thy courts, O Lord, to see:
My heart and flesh aloud do cry,
O living God, for Thee.

There, even the sparrow, freed from wrong
Hath found a house of rest:
The swallow there to lay her young,
Hath built her brooding nest.

Ev'n by Thy altars, Lord of Hosts,
They find their safe abode,
And home they fly from round the coasts,
Toward Thee, my King, my God!

Lord God of Hosts, that reign'st on high !
That man is truly blest
Who only on Thee doth rely,
And in Thee only rest.

189 *Psalm* xiii., 1—6.

How long wilt Thou forget me, O Lord, for ever? How long wilt Thou hide Thy face from me? How long shall I seek counsel in my soul, and be so vexed in my heart; how long shall my enemies triumph over me? Consider and hear me, O Lord my God; lighten my eyes that I sleep not in death; lest mine enemy say, I have prevailed against him, for if I be cast down they that trouble me will rejoice at it. But my trust is in Thy mercy, and my heart is joyful in thy salvation. I will sing of the Lord, because he hath dealt so lovingly with me; yea, I will praise the name of the Lord most highest. Amen.

190

How lovely are the messengers that preach us the gospel of peace. To all the nations is gone forth the sound of their words, throughout all the lands their glad tidings.

191 *S. John* xi., 25, 26. *Job* xix., 25, 26, *&c.*

I AM the resurrection and the life, saith the Lord: he that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth, and believeth in Me, shall never die. I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth; and though after my skin, worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God; whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold, and not another. We brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out. The Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away: blessed be the name of the Lord.

192 *Psalm* cxvi., 1—8, 16.

I AM well pleased that the Lord hath heard the voice of my prayer. That he hath inclined His ear unto me; therefore will I call upon Him as long as I live. The snares of death compassed me round about, and the pains of hell gat hold upon me. I have found trouble and heaviness, and I did call upon the name of the Lord, O Lord, I beseech thee, deliver my soul. Gracious is the Lord, and righteous; yea, our God is merciful. The Lord preserveth the simple; when I was in misery he delivered me. Turn again, then, unto thy rest, O my soul, for the Lord hath rewarded thee. For he hath delivered my soul from death, mine eyes from tears, and my feet from falling. I shall walk before the Lord in the land of the living. I will pay my vows unto the Lord in the sight of His people; in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of thee, O Jerusalem. Hallelujah.

193 *Revelation* vii., 9—15.

I BEHELD, and lo, a great multitude which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds and people, which stood before the throne, clothed with white robes, and palms were in their hands, and they cried with a loud voice, saying, Hallelujah, salvation to our God, which sitteth on the throne, and unto the Lamb. And I heard a voice saying, What are these, which are arrayed in white robes? and whence came they? These are they which came out of great tribulation, aud have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. Therefore are they before the throne of God, and serve Him day and night in His temple. And all the angels who stood round the throne, and the elders with the four beasts, fell down before the throne, and worshipped God, saying, Hallelujah! Blessing, and glory, and wisdom, and thanksgiving, and honour, and power, and might, be unto our God for ever and ever. Amen. Hallelujah.

194 *Ephesians* iii., 14, 15, 16.

I BOW my knee unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,

of Whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, that He will grant me, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with might by His Spirit in the inner man. Amen.

195

I call and cry to Thee, O Lord,
Give ear unto my plaint:
Bow down Thine eyes and mark my heavy plight,
And how my soul doth faint;
For I have many ways offended Thee:
Forget my wickedness, O Lord, I beseech Thee.

196 *Psalm* cxlii., 1—6.

I CRIED unto the Lord with my voice, yea, even unto the Lord did I make my supplication. I poured out my complaints before Him, and shewed Him of my trouble. When my spirit was in heaviness Thou knewest my path: in the way wherein I walked, privily have they laid a snare for me. I looked also upon my right hand, and saw there was no man that would know me. I had no place to flee unto, and no man cared for my soul. I cried unto Thee, O Lord, and said, Thou art my hope, and my portion in the land of the living.

197 *Psalm* cxlii. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7.

I CRIED unto the Lord with my voice; yea, even unto the Lord did I make my supplication. I poured out my complaints before Him, and showed Him of my trouble. When my spirit was in heaviness, Thou knewest my path: in the way wherein I walked have they privily laid a snare for me. Consider my complaint, for I am brought very low. I cried unto Thee, O Lord, and said, Thou art my hope, and my portion in the land of the living.

198 *Psalm* xvi., 9—12.

I HAVE set God alway before me, for He is on my right hand, therefore I shall not fall. Wherefore my heart was glad, and my glory rejoiced; my flesh also shall rest in hope. For why? Thou shalt not leave my soul in hell, neither shalt Thou suffer Thy Holy One to see corruption. Thou shalt shew me the path of life; in Thy presence is the fullness of joy, and at Thy right hand there is pleasure for evermore. Amen.

199 1 *Kings* viii., 13, 27—30, *&c.*

I HAVE surely built Thee an house to dwell in: a settled place for Thee to abide in for ever. But will God indeed dwell on the earth? behold, the heaven, and heaven of heavens, cannot contain Thee: how much less this house that I have builded. Yet have Thou respect unto the prayer of Thy servant, O Lord, my God. That Thine eyes may be open towards this house night and day, even toward the place of which Thou hast said, My name shall be there; and hearken Thou to the supplication of Thy people Israel, when they shall pray towards this place; and hear Thou in heaven Thy dwelling place, and when Thou hearest, forgive. If there be in the land famine, if there be pestilence, whatsoever plague, whatsoever sickness there be, what prayer and supplication soever be made by any man, or by all Thy people Israel, which shall know every man the plague of his own heart, and spread forth his hands towards this house, then hear Thou in heaven Thy dwelling-place, and forgive. And the Lord said to Solomon, I have heard thy prayer: I have hallowed this house which thou hast built, to put My name there for ever; and Mine eyes and My heart shall be there perpetually. Amen. Hallelujah.

200 *Job* xix., 25, 26. 1 *Cor.* xv., 20.

I KNOW that my Redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth. And though worms

destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God. For now is Christ risen from the dead, the first-fruits of them that slept.

201 *Psalm* cxxxv., 5, 6, 21.

I KNOW that the Lord is great, and that our Lord is above all gods. Whatsoever the Lord pleased, that did He in heaven and earth, and in the sea and in all deep places. Praised be the Lord out of Zion, who dwelleth at Jerusalem. Hallelujah. Amen.

202 *Isaiah* vi., 1—4.

I SAW also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and His train filled the temple. Above it stood the seraphim: each one had six wings; with twain he covered his face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with twain he did fly. And one cried unto another, Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of Hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory. And the posts of the door moved at the voice of him that cried, and the house was filled with smoke.

O Trinity! O Unity!
Be present as we worship Thee;
And with the songs that angels sing
Unite the hymns of praise we bring.

203 *Revelation* xx., 4; xiv., 13.

I SAW the souls of them that were beheaded for the witness of Jesus and for the Word of God. I heard a voice from heaven, saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord: even so saith the Spirit, for they rest from their labours. Amen.

204 *Psalm* xl., 1, 4.

I WAITED for the Lord, He inclined unto me, He heard

my complaint. O blessed are they that hope aud trust in the Lord.

205 *Psalm* cxxii., 1—8.

I WAS glad when they said unto me, we will go into the house of the Lord. Our feet shall stand in thy gates, O Jerusalem. Jerusalem is built as a city, that is at unity in itself; for there the tribes go up, even the tribes of the Lord, to testify unto Israel, and to give thanks unto the name of the Lord; for there is a seat of judgment, even the seat of the house of David. O pray for the peace of Jerusalem; they shall prosper that love thee. Peace be within thy walls, and plenteousness within thy palaces. For my brethren and companions' sakes, I will wish thee prosperity.

206 *Revelation* i., 10; xix., 1—7.

I WAS in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and I heard a great voice of much people in heaven, saying, Hallelujah! salvation, and glory, and honour, and power unto the Lord our God, for true and righteous are His judgments, and again they said, Hallelujah. And the four-and-twenty elders, and the four beasts fell down, and worshipped God that sat on the throne, saying, Amen: and again they said, Hallelujah. And a voice came out of the throne, saying, Praise our God, all ye His servants, and ye that fear Him, both small and great. And I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunderings, saying, Hallelujah! for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth. Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to Him, for the marriage of the Lamb is come. Hallelujah.

207 *Psalm* xxxiv., 1, 2, 8.

I WILL always give thanks unto the Lord; His praise shall be ever in my mouth. My soul shall make her boast in the Lord; the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad. O

praise the Lord with me, and let us magnify His name together.

208 *S. Luke*, xv., 18, 19.

I WILL arise and go to my Father, and will say, Father, I have sinned against heaven and before thee, and am no more worthy to be called thy son.

209 *Psalm* lxxvii., 1, 3, 13—19.

I WILL cry unto God with my voice; even unto God will I cry with my voice, and He shall hearken unto me. When I am in heaviness, I will think upon God; when my heart is vexed, I will complain. Thy way, O God, is holy: who is so great a god as our God? Thou art the God that doeth wonders, and hast declared Thy power among the people. The waters saw Thee, and were afraid; the depths also were troubled. The clouds poured out water, the air thundered, and Thine arrows went abroad. The voice of Thy thunder was heard round about; the lightnings shone upon the ground; the earth was moved and shook withal. Thy way is in the sea, and Thy footsteps are not known.

210 *Psalm* xxx., 1, 2, 3.

I WILL exalt Thee, O Lord, for Thou hast defended me, and not suffered mine enemies to have their pleasure upon me. O Lord my God, I have cried unto Thee, and Thou hast healed me. Lord, Thou hast brought my soul out of hell; Thou hast preserved me from them that descend into the pit.

211 *Psalm* cxlv., 1, 8, 14,—21. *Bible version.*

I WILL extol Thee, my God, O King, and I will bless thy name for ever and ever. The Lord is gracious and full of compassion, slow to anger, and of great mercy. The Lord

upholdeth all that fall, and raiseth up all those that be bowed down. The eyes of all wait upon Thee, and Thou givest them their meat in due season. Thou openest Thine hand, and satisfiest the desire of every living thing. The Lord is righteous in all His ways, and holy in all His works. The Lord is nigh unto all them that call upon Him, to all that call upon Him in truth. He will fulfil the desire of them that fear Him; He also will hear their cry, and will save them. The Lord preserveth all them that love Him, but all the wicked will He destroy. My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord ; and let all flesh bless His holy name for ever and ever.

212 *Psalm* ix., 1, 2, 4, 11.

I WILL give thanks unto Thee, O Lord, with my whole heart; I will speak of all Thy marvellous works. I will be glad and rejoice in Thee; yea, my songs will I make of Thy name, O Thou most highest. For Thou hast maintained my right and my cause: Thou art set in the throne that judgest right. O praise the Lord which dwelleth in Sion; shew the people of His doings. Hallelujah.

213 *Psalm* cxxxviii., 1—7.

I WILL give thanks nnto Thee, O Lord, with my whole heart, even before the gods will I sing praises unto Thee. I will worship and praise Thy name, because Thou hast magnified Thy name and Thy word above all things. When I called upon Thee, Thou heardest me, and enduedst my soul with much strength. For though the Lord be high, yet hath He respect unto the lowly; but beholdeth the proud afar off. Though I walk in the midst of trouble, yet shalt Thou refresh me ; Thou shalt stretch forth Thy hands upon the furiousness of mine enemies, and Thy right hand shall save me! All kings of the earth shall praise Thee, O Lord; yea, they shall sing that great is the glory of the Lord. Amen.

214 *Psalm* cxxxviii., 1, 2.

I WILL give thanks unto Thee, O Lord, with my whole heart: even before the gods will I sing praise unto Thee. I will worship toward Thy holy temple, and praise Thy name, because of Thy loving-kindness and truth. Hallelujah. Amen.

215 *Psalm* cxxi., 1, 2, 5—8.

I WILL lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh even from the Lord, who hath made heaven and earth. The Lord himself is thy keeper: the Lord is thy defence upon thy right hand: so that the sun shall not burn thee by day, neither the moon by night. The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil; yea, it is even He that shall preseve thy soul. The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in, from this time forth for evermore.

216 *Psalm* cxxi., 1—6.

I WILL lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help. My help cometh even from the Lord who hath made heaven and earth. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved; and He that keepeth thee will not sleep. Behold, He that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep. So that the sun shall not burn thee by day, neither the moon by night.

217 *Psalm* xviii., 1—7, 13, 16, 21.

I WILL love Thee, O Lord, my strength; the Lord is my stony rock and my defence, my Saviour, my God, my might, in whom I will trust; my buckler, the horn also of my salvation, and my refuge. I will call upon the Lord, which is worthy to be praised; so shall I be safe from mine enemies. The sorrows of death compassed me, and the overflowings

of ungodliness made me afraid. The pains of hell came about me; the snares of death overtook me. In my trouble I will call upon the Lord, and complain unto my God. So shall he hear me out of his holy temple, and my complaint shall come before Him; it shall enter even into his ears. The earth trembled and quaked; the very foundations of the hills shook, and were removed, because He was wroth. The Lord also thundered out of heaven, and the Highest gave His thunder, hailstones and coals of fire. He shall send down from on high to fetch me, and shall take me out of many waters; because I have kept the ways of the Lord, and have not forsaken my God.

218 *Psalm* cxlv., 1, 2.

I WILL magnify Thee, O God, my King; and I will praise Thy name for ever and ever. Every day will I give thanks unto Thee; and praise Thy name for ever and ever.

219 *Psalm* cxlv., 1, 2, 15, 16.

I WILL magnify Thee, O God, my King; and I will praise Thy name for ever and ever. Every day will I give thanks unto Thee; and praise Thy name for ever and ever. The eyes of all wait upon Thee, and Thou givest them their meat in due season. Thou openest Thine hand, and fillest all things living with plenteousness.

220 *Psalm* xxx., 1, 3; xcvi., 2, *&c.*

I WILL magnify Thee, O God, for Thou hast set me up, and not made my foes to triumph over me. Thou, Lord, hast delivered my soul out of hell; Thou hast delivered me from them that go down into the pit. Sing unto the Lord, and praise His name; be telling of His salvation from day to day; and give thanks unto Him for a remembrance of His holiness. Hallelujah. Amen.

221 *Psalm* cxlv., 1, 3, *&c.*

I WILL magnify Thee, O God my King, and I will praise Thy name for ever and ever. Great is the Lord, and marvellous, worthy to be praised. Blessed art Thou, O Lord. My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord. Every day will I give thanks unto Thee, and praise Thy name for ever and ever. O send out Thy light and Thy truth, that they may lead me, and bring me unto Thy holy hill, and to Thy dwelling. The Lord is loving unto every man, and His mercy is over all His works. O put your trust in Him alway, ye people; pour out your hearts before Him, for God is our hope. He truly is my strength and my salvation; He is my defence. All the world shall worship Thee, sing of Thee, and praise Thy glorious name. Sing unto God, and sing praises unto His name; O praise Him and rejoice before Him. Hallelujah. Amen.

222 *Psalm* cxlv., 1—4.

I WILL magnify Thee, O God, my King; and I will praise Thy name for ever and ever. Every day will I give thanks unto Thee; and praise Thy name for ever and ever. Great is the Lord, and marvellous, worthy to be praised: there is no end of His greatness. One generation shall praise Thy works unto another, and declare Thy power. Hallelujah. Amen.

223 *Psalm* cxlv., 1, 3, 21.

I WILL magnify Thee, O God, my King; and I will praise Thy name for ever and ever. Great is the Lord, and marvellous, worthy to be praised: there is no end of His greatness. My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord: and let all flesh give thanks unto His holy name for ever and ever.

224 *S. John* xiv., 5.

I WILL not leave you comfortless, I will come to you, and your heart shall rejoice. Hallelujah.

225 *Psalm* cxxxviii., 1, 2, 3. *Bible version.*

I WILL praise Thee with my whole heart: before the gods will I sing praise unto Thee. I will worship towards Thy holy temple, and praise Thy name for Thy lovingkindness and for Thy truth, for Thou hast magnified Thy word above all Thy name. In the day when I cried Thou answeredst me, and strengthenedst me with strength in my soul.

226 *Psalm* cxvi., 12, 14, 16.

I WILL receive the cup of salvation, and call upon the name of the Lord. Behold, O Lord, how that I am Thy servant, Thou hast broken my bonds in sunder. I will pay my vows unto the Lord, in the sight of all His people, in the courts of the Lord's house; even in the midst of thee, O Jerusalem. Praise the Lord.

227 *Job* v., 8—18.

I WILL seek unto God, and commit my cause unto Him, for He doeth great and wondrous things: He giveth rain upon the earth, and sendeth waters upon the fields; He setteth up the lowly on high, and exalteth them that mourn; He taketh the wise in their own craftiness, and carries headlong the counsel of the froward: they meet with darkness, and grope in the noonday as at night; but He saveth the poor from the sword, and from the hand of the mighty. Behold, happy is the man whom God correcteth: for He maketh sore, and bindeth up; He woundeth and maketh whole.

228

I WILL sing of Thy great mercies, O Lord, my Saviour, and of Thy faithfulness evermore.

O Thou, the True and Only Light,
Direct the souls that walk in night;
And bring them 'neath Thy shelt'ring care,
To find them blest redemption there.

Illumine those who blindly roam—
Oh! call the wand'rer kindly home:
The hearts astray that union crave,
And those in doubt, confirm and save.

229 *Psalm* lix., 12, 16, 17.

I WILL sing of Thy power, O God, and will praise Thy mercy betimes in the morning, for Thou hast been my defence and refuge in the day of my trouble. Unto Thee, O my strength, will I sing, for Thou, O Lord, art my refuge and my merciful God. Through God will we do great acts: for it is He that shall tread down our enemies.

230 *Psalm* civ., 33, 34, 35.

I WILL sing unto the Lord as long as I live, I will praise my God while I have my being; and so shall my words please Him: my joy shall be in the Lord. As for sinners, they shall be consumed out of the earth, and the ungodly shall come to an end. But praise thou the Lord, O my soul, praise the Lord.

231 *Psalm* xxvi., 2, 6, 7.

I WILL wash my hands in innocency, and so will I go to Thine altar. For Thy loving-kindness is ever before mine eyes, and I will walk in Thy truth; that I may shew the voice of thanksgiving, and tell of all Thy wondrous works.

232

I WRESTLE and pray, till blessed by Thee, O Jesu, my Saviour.

O Jesu, Son of God, I raise,
My voice to Thee in hymns of praise
For Thy redeeming grace;
Increase my faith and strengthen me,
That I may pray and cleave to Thee.

And while I hail Thy love divine,
O Spirit, make its comforts mine,
  The blessings Jesu bought;
Thus great and undivided Three,
May I for ever cleave to Ye.

233 *Psalm* cxxiv., 1—7; cxv., 16, 17, 18.

If the Lord Himself had not been on our side now may Israel say: if the Lord Himself had not been on our side, when men rose up against us, they had swallowed us up quick, when they were so wrathfully displeased at us. Yea, the waters had drowned us, and the stream had gone over our soul. But praised be the Lord, who hath not given us over for a prey unto their teeth. Our soul is escaped even as a bird out of the snare of the fowler: the snare is broken and we are delivered. Our help standeth in the name of the Lord who hath made heaven and earth. Hallelujah!

All the whole heavens are the Lord's: the earth hath he given to the children of men. The dead praise not Thee, O Lord, neither all they that go down into silence. But we will praise the Lord, from this time forth for evermore. Praise the Lord.

234 1 *Thes.* iv., 14—18.

If we believe that Jesus died, and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with Him. For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord, shall not prevent them which are asleep. For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the Archangel, and with the trump of God, and the dead in Christ shall rise first. Then we which are alive and remain, shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air, and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore, comfort one another with these words.

235 *1 Thess.* iv., 14, 18.

If we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with Him. Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

236 *Psalm* lv., 23, *&c.*

If with all your hearts ye truly seek Me, ye shall ever surely find Me. Thus saith our God. O that I knew where I might find Him, that I might come before His presence. Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and He shall sustain thee: He will never suffer the righteous to fall. He is at thy right hand. Thy mercy, Lord, is great, and far above the heavens. Let none be made ashamed that wait upon Thee.

237 *S. John* xiv, 15, 16, 17.

If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter, that He may abide with you for ever: even the Spirit of Truth.

238 *Colossians* ii., 9—12.

In Christ dwelleth all all the fulness of the Godhead bodily. And ye are complete in Him, which is the Head of all principality and power: In Whom also ye are circumcised with the circumcision made without hands, in putting off the body of the sins of the flesh by the circumcision of Christ: Buried with Him in baptism, wherein also ye are risen with Him through the faith of the operation of God, who hath raised Him from the dead. Hallelujah.

239 *Psalm* lvi, 10, 11. *Prayer Book Version.*

In God's word will I rejoice, in the Lord's word will I

comfort me. Yea, in God have I put my trust; I will not be afraid what man can do unto me.

240

In humble faith and holy love,
  The song of saints and martyrs sing,
That incense which to God above,
  Blest angels and archangels bring.
Three mystic rays in glory shine,
  From the tremendous Godhead's throne;
These in one source doth faith combine,
  In Three we praise One God alone.
In this sad vale of tears below,
  Our anchor this of faith and love,
Till God His vision shall bestow,
  In Christ's triumphant Church above.
To God our Father raise the voice,
  Invisible Immortal King,
In our Redeemer's strength rejoice,
  And to the Sacred Spirit sing. Amen.

241 *Psalm* lxxvi., 1, 2, 3.

In Jewry is God known: His name is great in Israel. At Salem is His tabernacle, and His dwelling at Sion. There brake He the arrows of the bow, the shield, the sword, and the battle.

242 *Psalm* cxx., 1; cxxxviii., 1.

In my distress I cried unto the Lord, and He heard me. I will praise Thee with my whole heart before the Gods; unto Thee, O Lord, will I sing praise. Amen.

243 *Isaiah* xxvi., 14; xxxiii., 2—5.

In that day shall this song be sung in the land of Judah:

We have a strong city, salvation will God appoint for walls and bulwarks; open ye the gates that the righteous nation which keepeth the truth may enter in; Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee, because he trusteth in Thee; trust ye in the Lord for ever, for in the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength; O Lord be gracious unto us, we have waited for Thee, be thou our salvation in the time of trouble. The Lord is exalted, He dwelleth on high, for He hath filled Zion with judgment and righteousness. Amen.

244 *S. John* i., 1—12.

In the beginning was the word, and the word was with God, and the word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by Him, and without Him was not anything made, that was made. In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the light shineth in darkness, and the darkness comprehended it not. There was a man sent from God. The same came to bear witness of the light, that all men through Him might believe. He was not that light, but was sent to bear witness of that light. That was the true light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made by Him, and the world knew Him not. He came unto His own, and His own received Him not. But as many as received Him, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on His name.

245 *Genesis* i., 1, 2, 3. *Psalm* xix., *&c.*

In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth. And the earth was without form and void, and darkness was upon the face of the deep, and the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. And God said, Let there be light, and there was light. And God saw the light that it was good; and God divided the light from the darkness. The heavens are telling the glory of God, the wonder of His work displays the firmament.

To-day that is coming, speaks it the day, the night that is gone, to following night. In all the lands resounds the word, never unperceived, ever understood.

246

In the days of Herod the king, behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, saying, Where is He that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen His star in the east, and are come to worship Him.

There beneath a lowly shed
They found the heavenly infant laid:
Their richest gifts before Him spread,
And humblest adoration paid!

Hosanna to the Son of David: Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord; hosanna in the highest.

247 *Psalm* xi., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8. *Prayer Book version.*

In the Lord put I my trust, how say ye then to my soul, that she should flee as a bird unto the hill? For lo, the ungodly bend their bow, and make ready their arrows within the quiver, that they may privily shoot at them which are true of heart. For the foundations will be cast down, and what hath the righteous done? The Lord is in His holy temple, the Lord's seat is in heaven. His eyes consider the poor, and his eye-lids try the children of men. Upon the ungodly he shall rain snares, fire and brimstone, storm and tempest; this shall be their portion to drink. For the righteous Lord loveth righteousness, His countenance will behold the thing that is just.

248 *Psalm* xxxi., 1—6.

In Thee, O Lord, have I put my trust, let me never be put to confusion, deliver me in Thy righteousness. Bow down Thine ear to me: make haste to deliver me, and be

Thou my strong rock, and house of my defence, that Thou mayest save me. Be Thou also my guide, and lead me for Thy Name's sake. Draw me out of the net, that they have laid privily for me, for Thou art my God. Into Thy hands I commend my spirit, for Thou hast redeemed me, O Lord, Thou God of truth.

249 *Psalm* xvii., 6.

INCLINE Thine ear to me O Lord, make haste to deliver me; O save me for Thy mercies' sake.

250 2 *Chronicles* v., 13, 14.

IT came even to pass, as the trumpets and singers were as one, to make one sound to be heard in praising and thanking the Lord; and when they lifted up their voice with the trumpets and cymbals, and with instruments of music, and praised the Lord, saying, For He is good, for His mercy endureth for ever; that then the House was filled with a cloud, even the House of the Lord; so that the priests could not stand to minister by reason of the cloud; for the Glory of the Lord had filled the House of the Lord. Hallelujah. Amen.

251 *Psalm* xcii., 1, 2, 3, 4; cxlv., 3.

IT is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto Thy name O most Highest; to tell of Thy loving-kindness early in the morning, and of Thy truth in the night season, upon an instrument of ten strings, and upon the lute, upon a loud instrument, and upon the harp; for Thou, Lord, hast made me glad through Thy works, and I will rejoice in giving praise for the operations of Thy hands. Hallelejah.

252 *Psalm* xcii., 1, 2, 3, 4; cxlv., 3.

IT is a good thing to give thanks to the Lord, and to sing

praises unto Thy name, O Thou most Highest; to tell of Thy loving-kindness early in the morning, and of Thy truth in the night season; for Thou, Lord, hast made me glad through Thy works, and I will rejoice in giving praise for the operation of Thy hands. Great is the Lord, and worthy to be praised: there is no end of His greatness. O praise the Lord with me, and let us magnify His name together. Hallelujah.

253 *Romans* xiii., 11, 12.

It is high time to wake out of sleep, for now is our salvation nearer than when we believed. The night is far spent, the day is at hand, let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light.

254 *S. Matthew* xxiii., 37.

Jerusalem! Jerusalem! Thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee; how often would I have gathered unto thee thy children, and ye would not.

O Thou, the true and only light!
Direct the souls that walk in night:
And bring them 'neath thy shelt'ring care,
To find their blest redemption there.

Illumine those that blindly roam,
And call the erring wanderers home;
The hearts astray that union crave,
And those in doubt, confirm and save.

255 *Psalm* xliii.

Judge me, O God, and plead my cause against an ungodly nation; O deliver me from deceitful and unjust men, for Thou art the God of my strength; O why dost Thou cast me from Thee; wherefore mourn I because the enemy sorely oppresseth me? Send out Thy light and truth, O let them lead

me, and bring me unto Thy holy hill, and to Thy dwelling-place. Then will I go to the altar of God, the God of my joy and gladness ; I will praise Thee upon the harp, O my God. O my soul, why art thou cast downward, and why art thou disquieted within me? Hope in the Lord, O my soul, for I will praise Him, who is the health of my countenance, and my gracious Lord and God.

256

JESU blessed word of God, incarnate of the Virgin Mary born,
On the cross Thy sacred body for us men with nails was torn ;
Cleanse us by the blood and water streaming from Thy pierced side,
Feed us with Thy body broken now, and in death agony,
O Jesu hear and save us. Grant us Thy mercy.

257 *Collect for 15th Sunday after Trinity.*

KEEP, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy Church with Thy perpetual mercy, and because the frailty of man without Thee cannot but fall, keep us ever by Thy help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation ; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

258 1 *Cor.* iii., 16 17. *Psalm* cxv., 3.

KNOW ye not that ye are His temple, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth within you? And whosoever defileth God's temple, him shall God destroy; for the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are. But our God abideth in heaven, His will directeth all the world.

259 *Psalm* lxviii., 1, 2, 3 7, 8.

LET God arise, and let His enemies be scattered; let

them also that hate Him flee before Him. Like as the smoke vanisheth, so shalt Thou drive them away; and like as wax melteth at the fire, so let the ungodly perish at the presence of God. But let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God, let them also be merry and joyful. O God, when Thou wentest forth before the people, when Thou wentest through the wilderness, the earth shook and the heavens dropped at the presence of God, even as Mount Sinai also was moved at the presence of God, who is the God of Israel.

260 *Psalm* lxviii., 1, 2, 5, to 8, 20, 32.

LET God arise, and let His enemies be scattered. Like as smoke vanisheth, as wax melteth at the fire, so let them perish and be driven away. O God! when Thou wentest forth, the earth shook, and the heavens dropped at the presence of God, even the God of Israel. Sing unto God, ye kingdoms of the earth; O sing praises unto the Lord. Sing praises unto Him who is the God of our salvation. He is a Father of the fatherless; He bringeth the prisoners out of captivity. Blessed be God, Hallelujah.

261 *Psalm* cxix., 169—175.

LET my complaint come before Thee, O Lord; give me understanding according to Thy word. Let my supplication come before Thee, deliver me according to Thy word. My lips shall speak of Thy praise when thou hast taught me Thy statutes; yea, my tongue shall sing of Thy word, for all Thy commandments are righteous. Let Thine hand help me, for I have chosen Thy commandments. I have longed for Thy saving health, O Lord, and in Thy law is my delight. O let my soul live and it shall praise Thee, and Thy judgments shall help me.

262 *Psalm* xix., 14, 15.

LET the words of my mouth and the meditation of my

heart, be alway acceptable in Thy sight, O Lord, my Strength and my Redeemer.

263 *Psalm* cxix., 41, 44, 45, *&c.*

LET Thy loving mercy come also unto me, O Lord, even Thy salvation according unto Thy word. So shall I alway keep Thy law, yea, for ever and ever. And I will walk at liberty, for I seek Thy commandments. O think upon Thy servant as concerning Thy word, wherein Thou hast caused me to put my trust. The same is my comfort in my trouble, for Thy word hath quickened me. The earth, O Lord, is full of Thy mercy: O teach me Thy statutes.

264 *Collect for 10th Sunday after Trinity.*

LET Thy merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of Thy humble servants, and that they may obtain their petitions, make them to ask such things as shall please Thee; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

265 *Ecclus.* vi., 37, *&c.*

LET Thy mind be upon the ordinances of the Lord, and meditate continually in His commandments; He shall establish thine heart, and give thee wisdom at thine own desire. Do no evil, so shall no harm come unto thee. Depart from the unjust, and iniquity shall turn away from thee. Whatsoever thou takest in hand, remember the end, and thou shalt never do amiss.

266 *S. Luke* ii., 10, 11, 15.

LET us now go, even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which has come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us. For the angel said unto us, Fear not: for behold, I bring you tidings of great joy, which shall be to all

people, for unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

267

LIFT thine eyes, O lift thine eyes to the mountains, whence cometh help. Thy help cometh from the Lord the maker of heaven and earth. He that said, thy foot shall not be moved, thy Keeper will never slumber. He watching over Israel, slumbers not nor sleeps: shouldest thou, walking in grief, languish, He will quicken thee.

268 *Isaiah* xlix., 18, 22, 23.

LIFT up thine eyes round about and behold, all these gather themselves together, and come to Thee. As I live, saith the Lord, thou shalt surely clothe thee with them all, as with an ornament, and bind them on thee, as a bride doeth. Thus saith the Lord God, Behold I will lift up mine hand to the Gentiles, and set up My standard to the people; and they shall bring up thy sons in their arms, and thy daughters shall be carried upon their shoulders. And kings shall be thy nursing fathers, and their queens thy nursing mothers; they shall bow down to thee with their face toward the earth, and thou shalt know that I am the Lord, for they shall not be ashamed that wait for Me.

269 *Psalm* xxiv., 7, 8, 9, 10.

LIFT up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors, and the King of Glory shall come in. Who is the King of Glory? it is the Lord, strong and mighty, even the Lord, mighty in battle. Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors, and the King of Glory shall come in. Who is the King of Glory? even the Lord of hosts, He is the King of Glory.

270 *Psalm* xlii., 1—8.

LIKE as the hart desires the water brooks, so panteth my

soul after Thee, O God. My soul is athirst for God, yea, even for the living God: when shall I come to appear before the presence of God? My God, my soul is vexed within me, therefore will I remember Thee. O send out Thy light and Thy truth, that they may lead me, and bring me to Thy holy hill, and to Thy dwelling, even unto the altar of God, the God of my joy and gladness. Why art thou so vexed, O my soul, and why art thou so disquieted within me. O put thy trust in God, which is the help of my countenance and my God.

271 *Isaiah* xlix., 1, 2. *Mal.* iv., 6., *&c.*

LISTEN, O Isles unto me, and hearken ye people from afar, the Lord hath called me from the womb, and He hath made my tongue like a sharp sword. He shall turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the hearts of the children to their fathers. Repent ye, for the kingdom of heaven is hand.

272

Lo! my shepherd is divine,
How can I want when He is mine?
By the stream that wanders slow,
Thro' the mead where flow'rets grow,
He leadeth me, and there I rest,
In love and peace divinely blest.

Father, we adore Thee, and worship Thee,
O God most high.
Holy Lord! Mighty God!
We worship Thee.
Glorify His name for evermore,
And tell of all His wondrous works:
Holy! Mighty! Glorious God!
We worship Thy name evermore.

273

Lo! star-led Chiefs Assyrian odours bring,
And bending Magi seek their Infant King!
Mark'd ye, when hov'ring o'er His radiant head,
The dove's white wings celestial glory shed.

274

LORD, bow Thine ear to our prayer. Zion spreadeth her hands for aid, and there is neither help nor comfort.

275

LORD, for Thy tender mercy's sake, lay not our sins to our charge; but forgive that is past, and give us grace to amend our sinful life: to decline from sin, and incline to virtue, that we may walk with a perfect heart before Thee now and evermore.

276 *Psalm* iii., 1, 2, 3, 8.

LORD, how are they increased that trouble me; many are they that rise up against me. Many one there be that say of my soul, there is no help for him in his God. But Thou, O Lord, art my defender; Thou art my worship, and the lifter up of my head. Salvation belongeth to the Lord: and Thy blessing is among Thy people.

277 *Psalm* lxxix., 5, 8, 9.

LORD, how long wilt Thou be angry? O remember not our old sins, but have mercy upon us, for we are come to great misery. Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of Thy name; O deliver us and be merciful unto our sins, for Thy name's sake.

278 *Psalm* xxxix., 5, 6, 7, 8, 13, 15.

LORD let me know mine end, and the number of my days; that I may be certified how long I have to live. Behold thou hast made my days as it were a span long, and mine age is even as nothing in respect of Thee, and verily every man living is altogether vanity. For man walketh in a vain shadow, and disquieteth himself in vain; he heapeth up riches, and cannot tell who shall gather them. And now Lord, what is my hope, truly my hope is even in Thee. Hear my prayer, O Lord, and with thine ears consider my calling; hold not thy peace at my tears. O spare me a little that I may recover my strength, before I go hence, and be no more seen.

279 *Collect for 7th Sunday after Trinity.*

LORD of all power and might: Thou that art the author, Thou that art the giver of all good things, graft in our hearts the love of Thy name; increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of Thy great mercy keep us in the same, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

280

LORD, on our offences, in justice look not but in mercy. Lord look upon us. Lord who art our Redeemer, O send us Thine aid. Deliver us and forgive us now all our sins in mercy; for Thy great glory and Thy Name's sake Hallelujah.

281 *Psalm* cxxxii., 1.

LORD remember David: teach him to know Thy ways: O guide his tongue with meekness, ever to sing Thy praise.

282

LORD! Thou alone art God, and Thine art the heavens,

the earth, and mighty waters. The heathen furiously rage against Thee, and against Thy Christ. Now behold, lest our foes prevail, and grant to Thy servants all strength and joyfulness, that they may preach Thy word.

283 *Psalm* xc., 1, 2, 4; xxii., 5, *&c.*

LORD, Thou hast been our refuge, from one generation to another. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever the earth and the world were made, Thou art God from everlasting to everlasting. Our fathers hoped in Thee; they trusted in Thee and Thou didst deliver them. They called upon Thee, and were holpen; they put their trust in Thee, and were not confounded. Shew us Thy mercy, O Lord, and grant us Thy salvation. For Thou art good and gracious, and of great mercy to all them that call upon Thee Blessed be the name of the Lord, from this time forth for evermore. Hallelujah. Amen.

284 *Collect for 17th Sunday after Trinity.*

LORD, we pray Thee that Thy grace may always prevent and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

285 *Psalm* cxix., 72, 97, 103, *&c.*

LORD, what love have I unto Thy law; all the day long is my study in it. The law of Thy mouth is dearer unto me, than thousands of gold and silver. O how sweet are Thy words unto my throat; yea, sweeter than honey unto my mouth. Thy righteousness is an everlasting righteousness, and Thy law is the truth. Trouble and heaviness have taken hold upon me; yet is my delight in Thy commandments.

286 *Psalm* xv., 1—7.

LORD, who shall dwell in Thy tabernacle, or who shall

rest upon Thy holy hill? Even he that leadeth an uncorrupt life, and doeth the thing which is right, and speaketh the truth from his heart. He that hath used no deceit in his tongue, nor done evil to his neighbour, and hath not slandered his neighbour. He that setteth not by himself, but is lowly in his own eyes, and maketh much of them that fear the Lord. He that hath not given his money upon usury, nor taken reward against the innocent. Whoso doeth these things shall never fall.

287 *Psalm* xv., 1—7, *&c.*

LORD, who shall dwell in Thy tabernacle, or who shall rest upon Thy holy hill? Even he that leadeth an uncorrupt life, and doeth the thing which is right, and speaketh the truth from his heart; he that hath used no deceit in his tongue, nor done evil to his neighbour, and hath not slandered his neighbour; he that setteth not by himself, but is lowly in his own eyes, and maketh much of them that fear the Lord.

Lord, who shall dwell on that bright hill
  Of holiness divine,
Within the tabernacle's gate,
  Where Thou dost dwell with Thine?

He that sweareth unto his neighbour, and disappointeth him not, though it were to his own hindrance; he that hath not given his money upon usury, nor taken reward against the innocent. Whoso doeth these things shall never fall.

To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
  The God whom we adore,
Be glory; as it was, is now,
  And shall be evermore.

288 *Psalm* li., 10, 11, 12, 13.

MAKE me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me; cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me; O give me the comfort of Thy help again, and stablish me with Thy free spirit.

Then shall I teach Thy ways unto the wicked, and sinners shall be converted unto Thee.

289 *Psalm* lxvi., 1, 2, 3.

MAKE a cheerful noise unto God, all ye lands; sing forth the honour of His name, make His praise glorious. Say unto God, How terrible art Thou in Thy works! Through the greatness of Thy power shall Thine enemies submit themselves unto Thee. All the earth shall worship Thee, and shall sing unto Thee, they shall sing to Thy name.

290 *Burial Service.*

MAN that is born of a woman hath but a short time to live, and is full of misery; he cometh up and is cut down like a flower; he fleeth, as it were a shadow, and never continueth in one stay. In the midst of life we are in death: of whom may we seek for succour, but of Thee, O Lord, Who for our sins art justly displeased? Yet, O Lord God Most Holy, O Lord Most Mighty, O Holy and Most Merciful Saviour, deliver us not into the bitter pains of eternal death.

291 *Psalm* xxii., 1, 2, 3.

MY God, my God, look upon me, why hast Thou forsaken me, and art so far from my health, and from the words of my complaint? O my God, I cry in the day-time, but Thou hearest not, and in the night-season also I take no rest; but Thou continuest holy, O Thou worship of Israel.

292 *Psalm* xxii.

MY God, my God, why hast Thou forsaken me; why art Thou far from helping me while I cry? My God, I cry to Thee by day, but yet Thou hearest not, and at night I take

no rest. But Thou, Lord, art holy; Thou who dwellest in the praises of Israel. Our fathers trusted in Thee, and Thou didst deliver them. And they cried to Thee and were delivered; they trusted in Thee and were not confounded. But I am a worm, and no man; the scorn of men, and of the people despised. All they that see me laugh and scorn me, they shoot out their lip and shake their head. He trusted in the Lord, that He would send help, and deliver, and delight in Him. I am poured out like water, and my bones are also out of joint; my heart is within my body melted like unto wax. My strength is dried up, even like a potsherd, and to my jaws my tongue cleaveth; Thou hast laid me in the dust of death. For dogs have compassed my dwelling, and assemblies of the wicked have enclosed me. My hands and my feet they have pierced in anger. They part my garments among them, and for my vesture they cast lots. Be not far from me, O Lord God; O my strength, haste Thee to help me Deliver my soul from the sword, and my darling from the dog's power. Save me from the mouth of the lion; Thou hast heard me from the horns of the unicorn. I will declare Thy name to my brethren, and in the congregation will I praise Thee. O praise the Lord, all ye that fear Him, and honour Him, all the seed of Jacob, and fear Him, all ye that are of the seed of Israel; for He hath not despised nor abhorred the poor in affliction, neither hath He hid His face from him, but when he cried unto Him, He heard his voice. I will praise Thee, Lord, in the great congregation; I will pay my vows in the sight of them that fear Him. The meek shall eat, and be satisfied, and they with their hearts shall praise the Lord that seek Him, and your heart shall live for ever. All the kindreds of the people shall worship before Him, for the earth is the Lord's and He rules over the nations.

293 *Psalm* lvii., 8—12.

My heart is fixed, O God, my heart is fixed; I will sing and give praise. Awake up my glory; awake, lute and harp; I myself will awake right early. I will gave thanks unto Thee, O Lord, among the people; and I will sing unto Thee among the nations. For the greatness of Thy mercy

reacheth unto the heavens, and Thy truth unto the clouds. Set up Thyself, O God, above the heavens, and the glory above all the earth. Hallelujah.

294 *Psalm* xlv., 1, 10, 11, 14, *&c.*

My heart is inditing of a good matter: I speak of the things which I have made unto the King. At His right hand shall stand the queen, all glorious within: her clothing is of wrought gold. She shall be brought unto the King in raiment of needle-work; the virgins that be her fellows shall bear her company. With joy and gladness shall they be brought, and shall enter into the King's palace. Hearken, O daughter, and consider, incline thine ear, forget also thine own people, and thy father's house. Instead of thy fathers thou shalt have children, whom thou mayest make princes in all lands. Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem; praise thy God, O Sion. For kings shall be thy nursing fathers, and queens thy nursing mothers. Hallelujah. Amen.

295 *Psalm* xlv., 1, 10, 12. *Isaiah* xlix., 23.

My heart is inditing of a good matter: I speak of the things which I have made unto the King. Kings' daughters were among Thy honourable women; upon Thy right hand did stand the queen in a vesture of gold. And the King shall have pleasure in thy beauty. Kings shall be thy nursing fathers, and queens thy nursing mothers.

296 *Psalm* xxxvi., 1, 5, 11, 12.

My heart sheweth me the wickedness of the ungodly, that there is no fear of God before their eyes. O let not the foot of pride come against me, and let not the hand of the ungodly cast me down. There are they fallen, all that work wickedness; they are cast down, and shall not be able to stand. Thy mercy, O Lord, reacheth unto the heavens, and Thy faithfulness unto the clouds.

297

My song shall be alway of Thy mercy, singing Thy praise, Thou Only God; my tongue shall ever speak the goodness Thou hast done unto me. I wander in night and foulest darkness, and mine enemies stood threatening around; yet called I upon the Name of the Lord, and He redeemed me with watchful goodness. O give thanks to the Lord, praise Him all ye people! Sing to the Lord, and ever praise His holy Name. All that hath life and breath, sing to the Lord. Hallelujah.

298 *Psalm* lxxxix., 1, 19.

My song shall be alway of the loving-kindness of the Lord: with my mouth will I ever be shewing His truth from one generation to another. For the Lord is our defence; the Holy One of Israel is our King.

299 *Psalm* ci., 1, 2, 3, 4; cviii., 3.

My song shall be of mercy and judgment; unto Thee, O Lord, will I sing. O let me have understanding, in the way of godliness. When wilt Thou come unto me; I will walk in my house with a perfect heart. I will give thanks unto Thee, O Lord, among the people; I will sing praises unto Thee among the nations. For Thy mercy is greater than the heavens, and Thy truth reacheth unto the clouds. Glory be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be; world without end. Amen.

300 *Job* x., 1, 2: xiv., 1, 2, *&c.*

My soul is weary of life: I will speak in the bitterness of my soul: I will say unto God, Oh! do not condemn me; shew me why Thou contendest with me. Man, that is born of a woman, is of few days, and full of trouble: he cometh

up, and is cut down like a flower, he fleeth as it were a shadow, and continueth not in one stay. Why pardonest not Thou my transgressions; why take not mine inquity from me? Oh! that Thou wouldst hide me in the grave, till Thy wrath be past: there the wicked cease from troubling, there the weary are at rest. Oh! that Thou wouldst hide me in the grave. Behold, happy is the man whom God correcteth: for He maketh sore and bindeth up, He woundeth and maketh whole. Therefore I will trust, and not be afraid, for the Lord Jehovah is my strength and my song, and He will also become my salvation.

301 *Psalm* lxii.. 1, 2, 8, 7.

My soul truly waiteth still upon God, for of Him cometh my salvation. He is my strength and my salvation; He is my defence, so that I shall not greatly fall. O put your trust in Him alway, ye people; pour out your hearts before Him, for God is our hope. In God is my health and my glory; the rock of my might, and in God is my trust. Hallelujah.

302 *Psalm* cxv., 1, *&c.*

Not unto us, Lord, not unto us, but to Thy name give the praise, for Thou art faithful in all Thy works, and just in all Thy ways. Hallelujah, the Lord is faithful in all His works, and just in all His ways. My mouth shall speak of Thy praise, O Lord, and let all flesh give thanks unto Thy holy name for ever. Amen.

303 *Psalm* cxv., 1.

Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but unto Thy name, give the praise, for Thy loving mercy, and for Thy truth's sake. Hallelujah. Amen.

304 *Psalm* cxv., 1, 2, 9, *&c.*

Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but unto Thy name

give glory, for Thy mercy, and for Thy truth's sake. Wherefore should the heathen say, Where is now their God? O House of Israel, trust thou in the Lord; He is their succour and defence. O House of Aaron, put your trust in the Lord; He is their helper and defender. Ye that fear the Lord, put your trust in the Lord; He is their helper and defender. The Lord hath been mindful of us, and He shall bless us: He shall bless the house of Israel, He shall bless the house of Aaron. He shall bless them that fear the Lord, both small and great. The Lord shall increase you more and more, you and your children. Ye are the blessed of the Lord who hath made heaven and earth. The dead praise not Thee, O Lord; neither any that go down into the pit. But we will praise the Lord from this time forth and for evermore. Praise the Lord.

305 *Joel* ii., 12—13.

Now saith the Lord, Turn ye even to Me, with all your heart, and with fasting, and with weeping, and with mourning. And rend your heart, and not your garments, and turn unto the Lord your God, for He is gracious, and merciful, slow to anger, and repenteth Him of the evil.

306 *Collect for 20th Sunday after Trinity.*

O ALMIGHTY and most merciful God, of Thy bountiful goodness keep us, we beseech Thee, from all things that may hurt us: that we, being ready both in body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish those things that Thou wouldst have done, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

307 *Psalm* lxvi., 1—4, 6.

O BE joyful in God, all ye lands; sing praises to the honour of His name; make His praise to be glorious. Say unto God, O how wonderful art Thou in Thy works. For all the world shall worship Thee, sing of Thee, and praise Thy name. O behold the works of God, how wonderful

He is in His doing towards the children of men. He ruleth with His power for ever; His eyes behold the people, and such as will not believe, shall not be able to exalt themselves. Hallelujah.

308 *Psalm* lxvi., 1, 2, 3.

O BE joyful in God, all ye lands; sing praises unto the honour of His name; make His praise to be glorious. Say unto God, O how wonderful art Thou in Thy works! Through the greatness of Thy power shall Thine enemies be be found liars unto Thee. For all the world shall worship Thee, sing of Thee, and praise Thy Name. Hallelujah.

309 *Psalm* lxvi., 1—4; lxvii., 5, 3, &c.

O BE joyful in God, all ye lands; sing praises to the honour of His name, make his praise to be glorious. O come hither, and behold the works of the Lord, how wonderful He is in His doings toward the children of men. He is a Father of the fatherless; He healeth those that are broken in heart, and defendeth the cause of the widows. Let the people praise Thee, O God; yea, let all the people praise Thee. The eyes of all wait on Thee, O Lord, and Thou givest them their meat in due season. Thou openest Thine hand, and fillest all things living with plenteousness. O praise our God, ye people, and make the voice of His praise to be heard. Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord. Amen.

310 *Psalm* lxvi.

O BE joyful in God, all ye lands; sing praises to the honour of His name, make His praise to be glorious. O come hither, and hearken all ye that fear God, and I will tell you what He hath done for my soul. He holdeth our soul in life, and suffereth not our feet to slip.

311 *Psalm* xlvii., 1—4.

O CLAP your hands together, all ye people; O sing unto God with the voice of melody. For the Lord is high and to be feared, He is the great King of all the earth. He shall subdue the people under us, and the nations under our feet. He shall choose out an heritage for us, even the worship of Jacob, whom he loved.

312 *Psalm* xlvii., 1, 2, 3, 6, 7.

O CLAP your hands together all ye people; O sing unto God with the voice of melody. For the Lord is high and to be feared, He is the great King upon all the earth. He shall subdue the people under us, and the nations under our feet. O sing praises, sing praises unto our King. For God is the King of all the earth; sing ye praises with understanding.

313

O COME, every one that thirsteth, O come to the waters; come unto Him: O hear, and your souls shall live for ever.

314 *Psalm* lxvi., 4: lxxviii., 13, 14, &c.

O COME hither, and behold the works of God; how wonderful He is in His doing toward the children of men. Marvellous things did He in the sight of our forefathers, in the land of Egypt; even in the field of Zoan. He divided the sea, and let them go through; He made the waters to stand on an heap. He clave the hard rocks in the wilderness, and gave them drink thereof. He rained down manna for them to eat, and gave them food from heaven.

315 *Psalm* lxvi., 14—18.

O COME hither, and hearken all ye that fear God; and I

will tell you what He hath done for my soul. I called upon Him with my mouth, and gave Him praises with my tongue. If I incline unto wickedness with my heart, the Lord will not hear me. But God hath heard me, and considered the voice of my prayer. Praised be God who hath not cast out my prayer, nor turned His mercy from me.

316 *Psalm* xcv., 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, *&c.*

O COME, let us sing unto the Lord, let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving, and shew onrselves glad in Him with psalms. For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. O come, let us worship and fall down, and kneel before the Lord our maker. For He is the Lord our God, and we are the sheep of His pasture and the people of His hand. Glory and worship are before Him ; power and honour are in His sanctuary.

317 *Psalm* xcv., 4, 5, 6, 7.

O COME, let us worship and fall down, and kneel before the Lord our maker. For He is the Lord our God, and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand. In His hands are all the corners of the earth, and the strength of the hills is also His. The sea is His, and He did make it, and His hands prepared the dry land.

318 *Psalm* cxix., 17, 18.

O DO well unto Thy servant, that I may live and keep Thy word. Open Thou mine eyes, that I may see the wondrous things of Thy law.

319 *Collect for S. Michael and all Angels.*

O EVERLASTING God, who hast ordained and constituted

the services of angels and men in a wonderful order; mercifully grant, that as Thy holy angels alway do Thee service in heaven, so by Thy appointment they may succour and defend us on earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

320 *Psalm* cvii., 1—8.

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord for He is gracious, and His mercy endureth for ever. Let them give thanks whom the Lord hath redeemed, and delivered from the hand of the enemy. And gathered them out of the lands, from the East and from the West; from the North and from the South. They went astray in the wilderness out of the way, and found no city to dwell in. Hungry and thirsty, their soul fainted in them. So they cried unto the Lord in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress. O that men would therefore praise the Lord for His goodness, and declare the wonders that He doeth for the children of men.

321 *Psalm* cv., 1, 2, 3.

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord, and call upon His name; tell the people what things He hath done. O let your songs be of Him, and praise Him, and let your talking be of all His wondrous works. Rejoice in His holy name: let the heart of them rejoice that seek the Lord. Amen.

322 *Psalm* cvii., 1, 2, 13, 14, 15, *&c.*

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord. Let them give thanks whom the Lord hath redeemed, and delivered from the hand of the enemy; for He hath broken the gates of brass, for He hath brought them out of darkness, and the shadow of death, and delivered them from their distress. O that men would therefore praise the Lord for His goodness, and declare the wonders that He doeth for the children of men; that they would offer unto Him the sacrifice of thanksgiving, and tell out His works with gladness.

323 *Psalm* cvi., 1, 2, 4, 5, 46.

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord, for He is gracious, and His mercy endureth for ever. Who can express the noble acts of the Lord, or shew forth all His praise? Remember me, O Lord, according to the favour that Thou bearest unto Thy people; O visit me with Thy salvation. That I may see the felicity of Thy chosen, and rejoice in the gladness of Thy people, and give thanks with Thine inheritance. Blessed be the Lord God of Israel from everlasting, and world without end, and let all the people say, Amen.

324 *Psalm* cv., *&c.*

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord. The righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance, and the just as the brightness of the firmament. Blessed be the Lord God of Israel from this time forth for evermore: and let all the people say, Amen.

325 *Psalm* cvi., 1.

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord, for He is gracious, and His mercy endureth for ever. Hallelujah.

326 *Psalm* cvi., 1, 2; lxxxvi., 5, 9, 10, *&c.*

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord, for He is gracious, and His mercy endureth for ever. Who can express the noble acts of the Lord, or shew forth all His praise? For Thou, Lord, art good and gracious, and of great mercy unto all them that call upon Thee. All nations whom Thou hast made shall come and worship Thee, O Lord, and shall glorify Thy name, for Thou art great and doest wondrous things, for Thou only art holy, Thou only art the Lord. Blessed are they that alway keep judgment, and do righteousness.

327 *Psalm* cvi., 1, 2; cxiii., 22, 23, 29,

O GIVE thanks unto the Lord, for He is gracious; and His mercy endureth for ever. Who can express the noble acts of the Lord, or shew forth all His praises. The same stone which the builder refused is become the headstone in the corner. This is the Lord's doing, and it is marvellous in our eyes. Hallelujah.

328

O GOD have mercy upon me, and blot out my transgressions, according to Thy loving-kindness; yea, even for Thy mercy's sake, deny me not. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Spirit from me, O Lord. Lord, a broken heart and a contrite heart is offered before Thee. I will speak of Thy salvation, I will teach transgressors that all the sinners shall be converted unto Thee. Then open Thou my lips, O Lord, and my mouth shall shew forth Thy glorious praise.

329 *Psalm* li., 1, 11, 12, 17; lix., 61.

O GOD, have mercy upon me, and blot out my transgressions, according to Thy loving-kindness; yea, even for Thy mercy's sake, deny me not. Cast me not away from Thy presence, O God, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. A broken heart, and a contrite heart is offered before Thee. O give me the comfort of Thy help again, and stablish me with Thy free Spirit. For thou hast been my refuge in the day of my trouble. Amen.

330 *Psalm* iv., 1, 2, 3, 9, *&c.*

O GOD of my righteousness, hear me when I call: Thou hast set me at liberty when I was in trouble, have mercy upon me and hearken unto my prayer. O ye sons of men, how long will ye blaspheme mine honour, and have pleasure

in vanity? Know this, the Lord hath chosen to Himself the man that is godly. I will lay me down in peace, and take my rest, for it is Thou, O Lord, that makest me to dwell in safety. Offer the sacrifice of righteousness, and put your trust in the Lord. Stand in awe and sin not, and put your trust in the Lord.

331 *Collect for 23rd Sunday after Trinity.*

O God, our refuge and strength, who art the author of all godliness, be ready, we beseech Thee, to hear the devout prayers of Thy Church, and grant that those things which we ask faithfully we may obtain effectually, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

332 *Collect for the Sunday after Ascension Day.*

O God, the King of Glory, who hast exalted Thine Only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph unto Thy kingdom in heaven, we beseech Thee, leave us not comfortless, but send to us Thy Holy Ghost to comfort us, and exalt us unto the same place whither our Saviour Christ is gone before: Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, One God, world without end. Amen.

333 *Collect for 1st Sunday after Trinity.*

O God, the strength of all them that put their trust in Thee, mercifully accept our prayers; and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without Thee, grant us the help of Thy grace, that in keeping of Thy commandments we may please Thee, both in will and deed, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

334 *Psalm* lxiii., 1—5, 8.

O God, Thou art my God; early will I seek Thee. My

soul thirsteth for Thee, my flesh also longeth after Thee, in a barren and dry land where no water is. Thus have I looked for Thee in holiness, that I might behold Thy power and glory. For Thy loving-kindness is better than life itself; my lips shall praise Thee. As long as I live will I magnify Thee on this manner, and lift up my hands in Thy name; because Thou hast been my helper, therefore under the shadow of Thy wings will I rejoice. Hallelujah.

335 *Psalm* lx., 1, 2, 11, 12.

O God, Thou hast cast us out, and scattered us abroad; Thou hast also been displeased; O turn Thee unto us again, Thou hast moved the land, and divided it; heal the sores thereof, for it shaketh. O be Thou our help in trouble, for vain is the help of man. Through God will we do great acts, for it is He that shall tread down our enemies.

336 *Psalm* lxxiv., 1, 2, 3.

O God, wherefore art Thou absent from us so long; why is Thy wrath so hot against the sheep of Thy pasture? O think upon Thy congregation, whom Thou hast purchased, and redeemed of old. Think upon the tribe of Thine inheritance, and Mount Sion wherein Thou hast dwelt.

337 *Collect for the Festival of the Epiphany.*

O God, who by the leading of a star didst manifest Thy only begotten Son to the Gentiles; mercifully grant, that we which know Thee now by faith, may after this life have the fruition of Thy glorious Godhead; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

338 *From the Liturgy.*

O God, whose nature and property is ever to have mercy and to forgive, receive our humble petitions; and though

we be tied and bound with the chain of our sins, yet let the pitifulness of Thy great mercy loose us; for the honour of Jesus Christ, our Mediator and Advocate. Amen.

339 *Collect for 6th Sunday after Trinity.*

O God, who hast prepared for them that love Thee such good things as pass man's understanding, pour into our hearts such love toward Thee, that we, loving Thee above all things, may obtain Thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

340 *Psalm* li., 1, 3, 9, 11.

O have mercy upon me, O Lord, after Thy great goodness, according to the multitude of Thy mercies do away mine offences. I acknowledge my faults; Lord, turn Thy face from my sins. Cast me not away from Thy presence; take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

341 *From the Veni-Creator.*

O Holy Ghost, into our minds,
  Send down Thy heavenly light;
Kindle our hearts with fervent zeal,
  To serve God day and night.

Thou art the very Comforter,
  In grief and all distress;
The heavenly gift of God most high,
  No tongue can it express.

Such measures of Thy powerful grace,
  Grant to us, Lord, we pray;
That Thou mayest be our Comforter,
  At the last awful day. Amen.

342 *Psalm* lxxxiv., 1, 2, 4.

O how amiable are Thy dwellings, Thou Lord of hosts!

My soul hath a desire and longing to enter into the courts of the Lord; my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God. Blessed are they that dwell in Thy house, they will alway be praising Thee. Hallelujah.

343 *Psalm* xxxi., 21, 22.

O HOW plentiful is Thy goodness, which Thou hast laid up for them that fear Thee; and that Thou hast prepared for them that put their trust in Thee, even before the sons of men. Thou shalt hide them privily by Thine own Presence from the provoking of all men; Thou shalt keep them secretly in Thy tabernacle from the strife of tongues. Thanks be to the Lord. Hallelujah. Amen.

344 *Isaiah* xxx., 2.

O LORD, be gracious unto us; we, O Lord, do wait for Thee.

345 *Psalm* xxxi.

O LORD, have mercy upon me, for I am in trouble: My strength faileth me. But my hope hath been in Thee, O Lord; I have said, Thou art my God.

346 *Psalm* civ., 24; lxv., 14.

O LORD, how manifold are Thy works, in wisdom hast Thou made them all; the earth is full of Thy riches. The folds shall be full of sheep; the valleys also shall stand so thick with corn, that they shall laugh and sing.

347 *Psalm* lxxxiv., 13.

O LORD God of Hosts, blessed is the man that putteth his trust in Thee.

348 *Psalm* lxxx., 4, 5, 6, 7.

O LORD God of Hosts, how long wilt Thou be angry with Thy people that prayeth? Thou feedest them with the bread of tears, and givest them plenteousness of tears to drink. Thou hast made us a very strife unto our neighbours, and our enemies laugh us to scorn. Turn us again, Thou God of Hosts; shew the light of Thy countenance, and we shall be whole. And so will we not go back from Thee; O let us live, and we shall call upon Thy name.

349 *Psalm* lxxxviii., 1, 2, 6; lxxxvi., 15, 16.

O LORD God of my salvation, I have cried day and night before Thee; O let my prayer enter into Thy presence, incline Thine ear unto my calling; for my soul is full of trouble, and my life draweth nigh unto hell. Thine indignation lieth hard upon me, and Thou hast vexed me with all Thy storms. But Thou, O Lord God, art full of compassion and mercy, long-suffering, plenteous in goodness and truth. O turn Thee unto me, and have mercy upon me: give Thy strength unto Thy servant, and help the son of thine handmaid.

350 *Psalm* lxxxviii., 1—4, 13.

O LORD God of my salvation, I have cried day and night before Thee; O let my prayer enter into Thy presence, incline Thine ear unto my calling. For my soul is full of trouble, and my life draweth nigh unto hell. I am counted as one of them that go down to the pit, and I have been as a man that hath no strength. Free among the dead, like unto them that are wounded and lie in the grave, and are cut away from Thine hand. Unto Thee have I cried, O Lord, and early shall my prayer come before Thee.

351 2 *Chron.* vi., 19, 21.

O LORD my God! hear Thou the prayer Thy servant

prayeth, have Thou respect unto his prayer. Hear Thou in Heaven Thy dwelling place, and when Thou hearest, Lord, forgive.

352 *Psalm* li., 15—18.

O LORD, open Thou my lips, and my mouth shall shew forth Thy praise; for Thou desirest not sacrifice, else would I give it; Thou delightest not in burnt offerings. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit: a broken and a contrite heart, O God, Thou wilt not despise. Do good in Thy good pleasure unto Zion, build Thou the walls of Jerusalem.

353

O LORD, turn Thy wrath away from us for Thy mercy's sake; call to mind no more, O our God, our former sins and wickedness; look down, O Lord, with Thy merciful eyes, and see; we be Thy people and Thy pasture-sheep.

354 *Isaiah* xxv.. 1—4; *Psalm* xxxiii., 20, *&c.*

O LORD, Thou art my God, I will exalt Thee, I will praise Thy Name. Thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth: Thou hast done wonderful things. For thou hast been a strength to the poor, a strength to the needy in his distress. For our heart shall rejoice in Him; because we have trusted in His Holy Name. Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us, according as we hope in Thee. He will swallow up death in victory, and the Lord God will wipe tears from off all faces; the rebuke of His people shall He take away from off all the earth, for the Lord hath spoken it. For this mortal must put on immortality. Awake to righteousness, awake and sin not, for some have not the knowledge of God. They that put their trust in Him shall understand the truth. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. And in that day it shall be said, Lo! this is our God, we have waited for Him, and He will save

us; this is the Lord, we have waited for Him, we will be glad and rejoice in His salvation.

355

O God, Lord God, when Thou appearest darkness flies, Thy light and Thy glory shine forth on the earth, and Thou art exalted, O Lord, above all gods. We worship Thy glorious name, O Lord God Almighty. Thou art my rock and my salvation, and my defence, and I shall not be moved; Thou art my salvation, and my glory, my refuge, the rock of my strength. My glory, my refuge, O Lord of all power and might. Our Lord is exalted above all gods. O praise the Lord, all ye people, and praise Him, all ye lands, His merciful kindness endureth for ever. Praise Him in songs of joy. We praise Thee, O Lord our God, we worship Thy glorious name, O Lord God Almighty. Be Thou exalted, O God, above all heavens, and Thy glory, above all the earth. O God, Lord God, when Thou appearest, darkness flies. For, Thou, Lord, art greater than all that are in the earth, and Thou art exalted, O Lord, above all gods.

356 *Psalm* cxl., 7 : xxxi., 6.

O Lord God, Thou strength of my health, Thou hast covered my head in the day of battle. Into Thy hands I commend my spirit, for Thou hast redeemed me, O Lord Thou God of truth. Amen.

357

O Lord God, to whom vengeance belongeth: Thou God, to whom vengeance belongeth, shew Thyself. Arise, Thou Judge of the world, and reward the proud after their deserving.

358 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 6—10.

O Lord give ear unto my prayer, and ponder the voice

of my humble desires. In the time of my trouble I will call upon Thee, for Thou hearest me. Among the gods there is none like Thee, O Lord; there is not one that can do as Thou doest. All nations whom Thou hast made shall come and worship Thee, O Lord, and shall glorify Thy Name; for Thou art great, and doest wondrous things: Thou art God alone.

359 *Psalm* lxi., 6, 7; cxxxii., 19.

O LORD, grant the king a long life, that his years may endure throughout all generations. He shall dwell before God for ever; O prepare Thy loving mercy and faithfulness, that they may preserve him. As for his enemies, clothe them with shame; but upon himself, let his crown flourish. Hallelujah.

360 *Psalm* xiii.

O LORD how long wilt Thou forget me, O Lord? for ever? how long wilt Thou hide Thy face from me? How long shall I take counsel in my soul, having sorrow in my heart daily? how long shall mine enemy be exalted over me? Consider and hear me, O Lord my God; lighten mine eyes, lest I sleep the sleep of death; lest mine enemies say, I have prevailed against him; and those that trouble me rejoice when I am moved. But I have trusted in thy mercy; my heart shall rejoice in Thy salvation. I will sing unto the Lord, because He hath dealt bountifully with me.

361 *Psalm* civ., 24; lxv., 14, *&c.*

O LORD, how manifold are Thy works: in wisdom hast Thou made them all; the earth is full of Thy riches: the valleys stand so thick with corn that they laugh and sing. Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits.

362 *Isaiah* xii., 1, 6.

O LORD, I will praise Thee, though Thou wast angry with

me, Thine anger is turned away, and Thou hast restored me. Behold, God is my salvation: I will trust and not be afraid; for the Lord Jehovah is my strength and my song; He also is become my salvation. Praise the Lord, call upon His name, declare His doings among the people, make mention that His name is exalted. Sing unto the Lord, for He hath done excellent things: this is known in all the earth. Cry aloud and shout, thou inhabitant of Zion, for great is the Holy One of Israel in the midst of thee.

363 *Isaiah* xxv., 1, 4, 9.

O LORD, my God, I will exalt Thee, I will praise Thy Name, for Thou hast done amazing things; Thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth. For Thou hast been a defence to the poor and needy in distress, a refuge from the storm, a shadow from the heat, a shelter against the raging tempest. Lo! this is our God, we have waited for Him, and He will save us, we will rejoice and be glad in His salvation.

364 *Psalm* xxii., 1, 14, 16, *&c.*

O LORD my God, why hast Thou forsaken me, and art so far from my health, and from the words of my complaint? I am poured out like water, all my bones are out of joint; my heart also in the midst of my body is like melted wax. But be not Thou far from me, O Lord; Thou art my succour, haste Thee to help me; for many dogs are come about me, and the counsel of the wicked layeth siege against me. They pierced my hands and my feet, I may tell all my bones; they stand staring and looking upon me. They part my garments among them, and cast lots upon my vesture.

365 *Psalm* viii., 1—5.

O LORD our Governor, how excellent is Thy name in all the world! Out of the mouth of very babes and sucklings

hast Thou ordained strength, because of Thine enemies, that Thou mightest still the fruitless rage of the enemy and the avenger. I will consider Thy heavens, even the works of Thy Almighty Hands; the moon and the stars which Thou hast ordained. What is a mortal, O Jehovah, that Thou art mindful of him, and the son of man, that Thou visitest him? For Thou hast made him a little lower than the angels, Thou hast crowned him with glory and honour.

366 *Psalm* vi., 1—4.

O LORD, rebuke me not in Thine indignation, neither chasten me in Thy displeasure. Have mercy upon me, O Lord, for I am weak; O Lord, heal me, for my bones are vexed; my soul also is sore troubled: but, Lord, how long wilt Thou punish me? Turn Thee, O Lord, and deliver my soul; O save me for Thy mercy's sake. Amen.

367

O LORD, the Maker of all things,
We pray Thee now in this evening
To defend us through Thy mercy
From all deceit of our enemies:
Let us neither deluded be,
Good Lord, with dream or fantasy:
Our hearts waking in Thee, Thou keep,
That we in sin fall not on sleep.
O Father, through Thy Blessed Son,
Grant us this our petition:
To Whom, with the Holy Ghost always,
In heaven and earth be laud and praise. Amen.

368 *Psalm* cxxxix., 1—9.

O LORD, Thou hast searched me out, and known me; Thou knowest my down-sitting and mine up-rising; Thou understandest my thoughts long before. Thou art about my path and about my bed, and spiest out all my ways.

For lo! there is not a word in my tongue but Thou, O Lord, knowest it altogether. Whither shall I go then from Thy Spirit, or whither shall I go then from Thy Presence? If I climb up into heaven, Thou art there; if I go down to hell, Thou art there also. If I take the wings of the morning and remain in the uttermost parts of the sea; even there also shall Thy hand lead me, and Thy right hand shall hold me.

369 *Psalm* cxix., 89, 90, 91.

O LORD, Thy word endureth for ever in heaven. Thy truth also remaineth from one generation to another; Thou hast laid the foundation of the earth, and it abideth; they continue this day according to Thine ordinance: for all things serve Thee.

370 *Collect for Quinquagesima Sunday.*

O LORD, who hast taught us that all our doings without charity are nothing worth; send Thy Holy Ghost, and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of charity, the very bond of peace and of all virtue, without which whosoever liveth is counted dead before Thee; grant this for Thine only Son Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

371 *Collect for 16th Sunday after Trinity.*

O LORD, we beseech Thee, let Thy continual pity cleanse and defend Thy Church: and because it cannot continue in safety without Thy succour, preserve it evermore by Thy help and goodness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

372 *Collect for 1st Sunday after Epiphany.*

O LORD, we beseech Thee mercifully to receive the prayers of Thy people which call upon Thee, and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought

to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil the same, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

373 *Collect for 3rd Sunday after Trinity.*

O LORD, we beseech Thee mercifully to hear us; and grant that we, to whom Thou hast given a hearty desire to pray, may by Thy mighty aid be defended and comforted in all dangers and adversities, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

374

O LORD, we trust alone in Thee.

375 *Psalm* xxxi., 26, 27.

O LOVE the Lord, all ye His saints, for the Lord preserveth them that are faithful, and plenteously rewardeth the proud doer. Be strong, and He shall establish your heart, all ye that put your trust in the Lord.

376 *Psalm* xcix., 9, &c.

O MAGNIFY the Lord our God, and worship Him upon His holy hill, for the Lord our God is holy. There is sprung up a light for the righteous, and joyful gladness for them that are true-hearted. Rejoice in the Lord ye righteous.

377 *Psalm* cxvii., 1, 2.

O PRAISE the Lord, all ye heathen: praise Him all ye nations. For His merciful kindness is ever more and more toward us, and the truth of the Lord endureth for ever. Praise the Lord.

378 *Psalm* lxvi., 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, 16, 17.

O PRAISE our God, ye people, and make His praise to be heard; Who holdeth our soul in life, and suffereth not our feet to slip. For Thou, O God, hast proved us; Thou also hast tried us, like as silver is tried. If I incline to wickedness the Lord will not hear me. But God hath heard me, and considered the voice of my prayer. O come hither and hearken, all ye that fear God, and I will tell you what He hath done for my soul. I called unto Him with my mouth, and gave Him praises with my tongue.

379 *Psalm* cxlviii., 1, 2, 3; cxlv., 10.

O PRAISE the Lord of heaven, praise Him in the height; praise Him, all ye angels of His, praise Him all His host; praise Him, sun and moon, praise Him, all ye stars and light. All Thy works praise Thee, O Lord, and Thy saints give thanks unto Thee. Hallelujah. Amen.

380 *Psalm* cxlvii., 1, 5.

O PRAISE the Lord, for it is a good thing to sing praises unto our God; yea, a joyful and pleasant thing it is to be thankful. Great is our Lord. and great is His power; yea, and His wisdom is infinite.

381 *Psalm* cl.

O PRAISE God in His holiness; praise Him in the firmament of His power; praise Him in His noble acts; praise Him according to His excellent greatness; praise Him in the sound of the trumpet; praise Him upon the lute and harp; praise Him in the cymbals and dances; praise Him upon the strings and pipe; praise Him upon the well-tuned cymbals; praise Him upon the loud cymbals. Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord.

382 *Psalm* cxxxv, 1, 2, 3, 19, 20.

O PRAISE the Lord, laud ye the name of the Lord, praise it, O ye servants of the Lord: Ye that stand in the house of the Lord, in the courts of the house of our God. O praise the Lord, for the Lord is gracious; O sing praises unto His name, for it is lovely. Praise the Lord ye house of Israel; praise the Lord ye house of Aaron; praise the Lord ye house of Levi; ye that fear the Lord, praise the Lord.

383 *Psalm* ciii., 20.

O PRAISE the Lord, all ye His angels, ye that excel in strength, ye that fulfil His commandments, and hearken unto the voice of His word.

384 *Psalm* ciii., 20, 21, 22.

O PRAISE the Lord, ye angels of His, ye that excel in strength; ye that fulfil His commandment, and hearken unto the voice of His words. O praise the Lord, all ye His hosts, ye servants of His that do His pleasure. O speak good of the Lord all ye works of His, in all places of His dominion: praise thou the Lord, O my soul.

385 *Psalm* cxxii., 6, 7, 8, 9.

O PRAY for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper that love thee. Peace be within thy walls, and plenteousness within thy palaces. For my brethren and companions' sake I will wish thee prosperity; yea, because of the house of the Lord, I will seek to do thee good.

386 *Psalm* xxxvii., 1, 7; *S. Matt.* xxiv., 1.

O REST in the Lord, wait patiently for Him, and He shall give thee thy heart's desires. Commit thy way unto

Him, and trust in Him, and fret not thyself because of evil-doers. He that shall endure to the end shall be saved.

387 *Psalm* ciii., 20, 1, 11, 12, 13, 17, *&c.*

O PRAISE the Lord, ye angels of His, ye that excel in strength; ye that fulfil His commandments and hearken unto the voice of His word. O praise the Lord all ye His host; ye servants of His that do His pleasure. For as the heaven is high above the earth, so great is His mercy toward them that fear Him. Like as a father pitieth his own children, even so the Lord is merciful to them that fear Him. The merciful goodness of the Lord endureth for ever upon them that fear Him, and His righteousness upon children's children. The Lord hath been mindful of us, and He shall bless us; even He shall bless the house of Israel, He shall bless the house of Aaron. My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord; and let all flesh give thanks unto His holy name for ever and ever. Hallelujah.

388

O RISEN Lord, O Christ ascended,
O Prince of Peace! Thy toils on earth are ended,
And Thou art on Thine everlasting throne adored;
O hear our songs, O hear our prayers and praises,
O grant us peace; Thy pilgrim church still raises
Her ardent gaze to Thee, as for Thy rest she longs.
Thou Jesus King, to heaven ascending,
With gifts of peace Thy pierced palms extending,
Shed'st worlds of peace and joy;
O risen Lord! O Prince of Peace!
To Thee we sing Alleluia.

389

O SAVING Victim slain for us,
The gates of heaven to us unfold;
Wars assail us, and foes are nigh;
Wars assail us fiercely, the foes draw nigh,
O grant us succour, give us victory.

390 *From the Office for the Visitation of the Sick.*

O SAVIOUR of the world, who by Thy Cross and Precious Blood hast redeemed us, save us, and help us, O Lord, we humbly beseech Thee, O Lord. Amen.

391 *Psalm* xliii., 3, 4.

O SEND out Thy light and Thy truth that they may lead me, and bring me unto Thy holy hill, and to Thy dwelling. And I will go unto the altar of God, even the God of my joy and gladness, and I will give thanks unto Thee, O God, my God.

392 *Psalm* lxviii., 4, 17, 18, 19.

O SING unto God, and sing praises unto His name; magnify Him that rideth upon the heavens as it were upon a horse; praise Him in His name, yea, and rejoice before Him. The chariots of God are twenty thousand, even thousands of angels; and the Lord is among them, as in the holy place of Sinai. Thou art gone up on high, Thou hast led captivity captive, and received gifts for men; even for Thine enemies, that the Lord God might dwell among them. Praised be the Lord daily, even the God, who justifieth us, and poureth His benefits upon us.

393 *Psalm* xcvi., 1—5, 9, 10.

O SING unto the Lord a new song: sing unto the Lord, all the whole earth. Sing unto the Lord and praise His name, be telling of His salvation from day to day. Declare His honour unto the heathen, and His wonders unto all people. Glory and worship are before Him; power and honour are in His sanctuary. The Lord is great, and cannot worthily be praised: He is more to be feared than all gods. As for all the gods of the heathen, they are but idols, but it is the Lord that made the heavens. O worship the Lord

in the beauty of holiness: let the whole earth stand in awe of Him. Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King, and that it is He that hath made the round world so sure that it cannot be moved, and how that He shall judge the people righteously. Hallelujah. Amen.

394 *Psalm* lxviii., 4, 5, 6, 19, 20, *&c.*

O SING unto God, sing praises to His name, and rejoice before Him. He is a Father of the fatherless; He defendeth the cause of the widows, and bringeth the prisoners out of captivity. Praised be the Lord daily, even the God who helpeth us, and poureth His benefits upon us. He is our God, even the God of whom cometh salvation. God is the Lord by whom we escape death. Sing unto God, O ye kingdoms of the earth, O sing praises unto the Lord.

395 *Job* xxiii., 3, 8, 9. *S. John* xx., 29.

OH! THAT I knew where I might find Him! that I might come even to His seat! Behold, I go forward, but He is not there, and backward, but I cannot perceive Him; on the left hand, where He doth work, but I cannot behold Him: He hideth himself on the right hand. Blessed are they who have not seen, and yet have believed.

396 *Psalm* xxxiv., 8, 9, 10.

O TASTE and see how gracious the Lord is; blessed is the man that trusteth in Him. O fear the Lord, ye that are His saints; for they that fear Him lack nothing. The lions do lack and suffer hunger, but they who seek the Lord shall want no manner of thing that is good.

397 *Psalm* liii., 7, 8.

O THAT the salvation were given unto Israel out of Sion.

O that the Lord would deliver His people out of captivity. Then should Jacob rejoice, and Israel should be right glad. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

398 *Psalm* cvii., 8.

O THAT men would therefore praise the Lord for His goodness, and declare the wonders that He doeth for the children of men.

399 *Romans* xi., 33.

O THE depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How deep and unerring is He in His judgments! His ways are past understanding. Sing His glory for evermore! Amen.

400 *Phillipians* iii., 20, 21.

OUR conversation is in heaven, from whence also we look for the Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ; who shall change our vile body, that it may be fashioned like unto His glorious body.

401 *Psalm* cxxx., 1, 2, 3, 4.

OUT of the deep have I called unto Thee, O Lord: Lord, hear my voice. O let Thine ears consider well the voice of my complaint. For if Thou, Lord, wilt be extreme to mark what is done amiss, O Lord, who may abide it? For there is mercy with Thee, therefore shalt Thou be feared.

402 *Job* xxviii., 12—28.

O WHERE shall wisdom be found? and where is the place

of understanding? Man knoweth not the price thereof; neither is it found in the land of the living. The depth saith, It is not in me; and the sea saith, It is not with me. It cannot be gotten for gold, neither shall silver be weighed for the price thereof. No mention shall be made of coral, or of pearls; for the price of wisdom is above rubies. Whence then cometh wisdom? and where is the place of understanding? seeing it is hid from the eyes of all living. God understandeth the way thereof, and He knoweth the place thereof, for He looketh to the ends of the earth, and seeth under the whole heaven, to make the weight for the winds, and He weigheth the waters by measure. When He made a decree for the rain, and a way for the lightning of the thunder, then did He see it, and declare it; He prepared it, yea, and searched it out. And unto man He said, Behold, the fear of the Lord, that is wisdom, and to depart from evil is understanding.

403 *Psalm* xcvi., 9, 10, 11.

O WORSHIP the Lord in the beauty of holiness: let the whole earth stand in awe of Him. Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King, and that it is He who hath made the round world so fast that it cannot be moved, and how that He shall judge the people righteously. Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad, let the sea make a noise and all that therein is.

404 *Psalm* xxxv., 1, 24; lvii., 10, 11.

PLEAD Thou my cause, O Lord, with them that strive with me, and fight Thou against them that fight with me. Judge me, O Lord my God, according to Thy righteousness, and let them not triumph over me. I will give thanks unto Thee, O Lord, among the people; and I will sing unto Thee among the nations. For the greatness of Thy mercy reacheth unto the heavens, and Thy truth unto the clouds.

405 *Psalm* v., 1, 2; *Rev.* xxi., 7, *&c.*

PONDER my words O Lord, consider my meditation. O hearken Thou unto the voice of my calling, for unto Thee will I make my prayer. He that overcometh shall inherit all things. I will be His God, and he shall be My son.

To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
The God whom heaven and earth adore,
Be glory as it was of old,
Is now and shall be evermore.

406 *Psalm* lv., 1, 2, 3; vi., 3, 4, 9.

PONDER my words, O Lord, consider my meditation. O hearken Thou unto the voice of my calling, my King and my God, for unto Thee will I make my prayer. My voice shalt Thou hear betimes, O Lord; early in the morning will I direct my prayer unto Thee, and will look up. My soul also is sore troubled, but, Lord, how long wilt Thou punish me? Turn Thee, O Lord, and deliver my soul; O save me for Thy mercy's sake. The Lord hath heard my petition, the Lord will receive my prayer.

407 *Psalm* v., 1, 3; lxxx., 1, *&c.*

PONDER my words, O Lord, consider my meditation. My voice shalt Thou hear betimes, O Lord; early in the morning will I direct my prayer to Thee, and will look up. Hear, O Thou Shepherd of Israel, Thou that leadest Joseph like a sheep. Unto Thee will I make my prayer. The Lord hath heard my petition, the Lord will receive my prayer.

408 *Psalm* v., 1, 2.

PONDER my words, O Lord, consider my meditation. O

hearken Thou unto the voice of my calling, my King, and my God, for unto Thee will I make my prayer.

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PRAISE His awful name who was, and is, and is to come; praise to Him who giveth immortality; all glory and majesty surround His throne, worship and adore Him. Praise, glory, to God. Mighty, He cometh to judgment, for He shall judge the world in righteousness, and His people with His truth. Fear thou not, O man, for thy Redeemer liveth; He that died is risen, and He shall live to all eternity, and He shall reign, and shall conquer His enemies. I know thy works, and thy labour, and thy patience; for My sake Thou hast endured affliction. Yet thy first and chiefest duty thou hast forsaken, and thou art fallen from thy high estate. Repent! and return to thy first work. Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.

410 *Psalm* cxlvii., 12; *Isaiah* xlix., 23, *&c.*

PRAISE the Lord, O Jerusalem, praise Thy God, O Zion. For Kings shall be Thy nursing fathers, and Queens thy nursing mothers. As we have heard, so we have seen, in the city of our God; God upholdeth the same for ever. Be Thou exalted, Lord, in Thine own strength; so will we sing and praise Thy power. Hallelujah.

411 *Psalm* ciii., 1, 2, 4, 22.

PRAISE the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me praise His holy name. Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits. Who forgiveth all thy sins, and healeth all thine infirmities. Who saveth Thy life from destruction, and crowneth Thee with mercy and loving-kindness. O speak good of the Lord, all ye works of His, in all places of His dominion; praise Thou the Lord, O my soul. Hallelujah.

412 *Psalm* ciii., 1, 2, 3, 4, 8—14, 22.

PRAISE the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, praise His holy name. Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits. Who forgiveth all Thy sin, and healeth all Thine infirmities. Who saveth Thy life from destruction, and crowneth Thee with mercy and loving-kindness. The Lord is full of compassion and mercy, long-suffering, and of great goodness. He will not alway be chiding, neither keepeth He His anger for ever. He hath not dealt with us after our sins, nor rewarded us according to our wickedness. For look how high the heaven is in comparison of the earth, so great is His mercy also toward them that fear Him. Look how wide also the east is from the west: so far hath He set our sins from us. Yea, like as a father pitieth his own children, even so is the Lord merciful unto them that fear Him. For He knoweth whereof we are made, He remembereth that we are but dust. O speak good of the Lord, all ye works of His, in all places of His dominion; praise Thou the Lord, O my soul.

413 *Psalm* civ., 1—7.

PRAISE the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, Thou art become exceeding glorious, Thou art clothed with majesty and honour. Thou deckest Thyself with light as it were with a garment, and spreadest out the heavens like a curtain; who layeth the beams of His chambers in the waters, and maketh the clouds His chariot, and walketh upon the wings of the wind. He maketh His angels spirits, and His ministers a flaming fire. He hath laid the foundations of the earth that it never should move at any time; Thou coveredst it with the deep like as with a garment, the waters stand in the hills. At Thy rebuke they flee; at the voice of Thy thunder they are afraid.

414 *Psalm* cxiii., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

PRAISE the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me praise His holy name. Praise the Lord, O my soul, and

forget not all His benefits; who saveth thy life from destruction, and crowneth thee with mercy and loving-kindness. O praise the Lord, ye angels of His, ye that excel in strength, and fulfil His commandment, ye servants that do His pleasure. O speak good of the Lord, all ye works of His. Hallelujah.

415 *Psalm* cxlvi., 1; cxxii., 6—9, &c.

PRAISE the Lord, O my soul; while I live will I praise the Lord, yea, as long as I have any being, I will sing praises unto my God. O pray for the peace of Jerusalem; they shall prosper that love thee. Peace be within Thy walls, and plenteousness within Thy palaces. For my brethren and companions' sakes, I will wish Thee prosperity; yea. because of the House of the Lord our God, I will seek to do thee good. They that put their trust in the Lord, shall be even as the mount Zion, which may not be removed, but standeth fast for ever. As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about His people, from henceforth, even for evermore.

416 *Psalm* ciii., 2, 8, 15, 17, 22.

PRAISE the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefit. The Lord is full of compassion and mercy, long-suffering, and of great goodness. The days of man are but as grass, for he flourisheth as a flower of the field. But the goodness of the Lord endureth for ever, upon them that fear Him. O speak good of the Lord, all ye works of His. Praise the Lord, O my soul.

417 *Psalm* cxiii., 1—4.

PRAISE the Lord, ye servants, O praise the name of the Lord. Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time forth for evermore. The Lord's name is praised, from the rising up of the sun, unto the going down of the same. The

Lord is high above all heathen, and His glory above the heavens. Who is like unto the Lord our God, that hath His dwelling so high, and yet humbleth Himself to behold the things that are in heaven and earth?

418 *Psalm* cxlvii., 12, 13, 14, 20.

PRAISE the Lord, O Jerusalem, praise thy God, O Sion. For He hath made fast the bars of thy gates, and hath blessed thy children within thee. He maketh peace in thy borders, and filleth thee with the flour of wheat. He hath not dealt so with any nation; neither have the heathen knowledge of His laws. Praise ye the Lord, Hallelujah. Amen.

419 *Psalm* cxlvii., 12; cxlviii., 2, 3, &c.

PRAISE the Lord, O Jerusalem, praise thy God, O Zion; praise Him, all ye Angels, praise Him, all His Host; praise Him, sun and moon, praise Him, all ye stars and light. O that men would therefore praise the Lord for His goodness, and declare the wonders that He doeth for the children of men. Hallelujah. Amen.

420 *Psalm* ciii., 1; cxlviii., 1.

PRAISE the Lord, O my soul. O praise the Lord of heaven; praise Him in the height. Amen.

421 *Isaiah* xii., 4, 5, 6.

PRAISE the Lord, call upon His name, declare His doings among the people, make mention that His name is exalted. Sing unto the Lord, for He hath done excellent things; this is known in all the earth. Cry aloud and shout, thou inhabitant of Zion, for great is the Holy One of Israel in the midst of thee.

422 *Psalm* civ., 35.

PRAISE thou the Lord, O my soul. Hallelujah.

423 *Psalm* cxlix., 1, 2, 4; cl., 2.

PRAISE ye the Lord. O sing unto the Lord a new song; let the congregation of saints praise Him. Let Israel rejoice in Him that made him, and let the children of Sion be joyful in their King. For the Lord hath pleasure in his people; he helpeth the meek-hearted. Praise God in His noble acts, praise Him according to His excellent greatness. Hallelujah.

424 *Psalm* lxviii., 19, 9: cxlv., 16; lxv., 12.

PRAISED be the Lord, even the God who helpeth us and poureth His benefits upon us. Thou O God sentest a gracious rain upon Thine inheritance, and refreshedst it when it was weary. Thou openest Thine hand and fillest all things living with plenteousness. Thon crownest the year with Thy goodness, and Thy clouds drop fatness. Hallelujah.

425 *Psalm* cxxii., 6, 7.

PRAY for the peace of Jerusalem, they shall prosper that love Thee; peace be within Thy walls, and prosperity within Thy palaces.

426 *Isaiah* xl., 2—10.

PREPARE ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain and hill shall be made low, and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough places shall be made plain, and the glory of the Lord shall be revealed,

and all flesh shall see it together. And the voice said, Cry. What shall I cry? All flesh is grass, and all the goodliness thereof is as the flower of the field: the grass withereth, the flower fadeth, but the word of the Lord shall stand fast for ever. O Zion, that bringest glad tidings, get thee up into the mountains: O Jerusalem, that bringest glad tidings, lift up thy voice with strength, and say unto Judah, Behold thy God!

427 *Psalm* xxxviii., 1, 2, 3.

Put me not to rebuke, O Lord, in Thine anger, neither chasten me in Thy heavy displeasure. For Thine arrows stick fast in me, and Thy hand presseth me sore. There is no health in my flesh, because of Thy displeasure; neither is there any rest in my bones by reason of my sin.

428

REJOICE, all ye people of the earth; sing and praise the Lord, for the Saviour hath appeared, whom the Lord hath promised. He His truth and His justice to the world hath proclaimed. Hallelujah.

429 *Psalm* xxxiii., 1,2, 3, 4.

REJOICE in the Lord, O ye righteous, for it becometh well the just to be thankful. Praise the Lord with harp; sing praises to Him upon the lute, and instrument of ten strings. Sing to the Lord a new song; sing praises lustily unto Him with a good courage. For the word of the Lord is true, and all His works are faithful.

430 *Philippians* iv., 4, 5, 6, 7.

REJOICE in the Lord alway, and again, I say rejoice. Let your moderation be known unto all men. The Lord is at hand. Be careful for nothing: but in everything by prayer

and supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Jesus Christ our Lord.

431 *Psalm* xxxiii., 1, 2, 4.

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432 *Psalm* xxxiii., 1; xviii., 15; xcvii., 10, 11.

REJOICE in the Lord, O ye righteous, for it becometh well the just to be thankful. The voice of joy and health is in the dwelling of the righteous; the right hand of the Lord bringeth mighty things to pass. O ye that love the Lord, see that ye hate the thing that is evil. For the Lord's delight is in them that fear Him, and put their trust in His mercy. Amen.

433 *Psalm* xxxiii., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 12.

REJOICE in the Lord, O ye righteous, for it becometh well the just to be thankful. Praise the Lord with harp, sing praises unto Him with the lute, and instrument of ten strings. For the word of the Lord is true, and all His works are faithful. He loveth righteousness and judgment; the earth is full of the goodness of the Lord. Blessed are the people whose God is the Lord Jehovah; and blessed are the folk that He hath chosen to Him to be His inheritance. Hallelujah. Amen.

434 *Romans* xii., 15.

REJOICE with them that do rejoice, and weep with them that weep.

435 *Psalm* cvi., 4, 5.

REMEMBER me, O Lord, according to the favour that Thou bearest unto Thy people; O visit me with Thy salvation. That I may see the felicity of Thy chosen.

436 *From the Litany.*

REMEMBER not, Lord, our offences, nor the offences of our forefathers, neither take Thou vengeance of our sins; spare us, good Lord, spare Thy people, whom Thou hast redeemed with Thy precious blood, and be not angry with us for ever. Spare us, good Lord.

437 *Eccles.* xii., 1, 13.

REMEMBER now thy Creator in the days of thy youth, while the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them. Fear God and keep His commandments, for this is the whole duty of man

438 *Lamentations* v., 1, 7, 15, 17, 19.

REMEMBER, O Lord, what is come upon us, consider and behold our reproach. Our fathers have sinned and are not, and we have borne their iniquities. The joy of our heart is ceased, and our dance is turned into mourning. For this our heart is faint, for these things our eyes are dim. Thou, O Lord, remainest for ever, Thy throne from generation to generation.

439 *Psalm* xxv., 5, 6.

REMEMBER, O Lord, Thy tender mercies; remember, O Lord, Thy loving kindness which hath been of old: remember Thy servant for Thy goodness sake; according to Thy mercy, remember me, O Lord.

440 *Lament.* v., 1, 16, 20, 21.

REMEMBER, O Lord, what is come upon us; consider, and behold our reproach. Wherefore dost Thou forget us for ever, and forsake us so long time? Woe unto us, that we have sinned! Turn Thou us unto Thee, O Lord, renew our days as of old. Turn Thou us to Thee, O Lord, and we shall be turned. Amen.

441

REMORSEFUL and bitter sorrow doth wilful sinners follow:
Billows of wrath and vengeance flood o'er the guilty soul.
Forsake earth's short-lived pleasures, and lay up heavenly [treasures,
Which last eternally.
So win the crown of glory which fadeth not away.

442 *Joel* ii., 13.

REND your heart and not your garments, and turn unto the Lord your God, for He is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repenteth Him of the evil.

443 *Psalm* lxix., 1, 2, 3.

SAVE me, O God, for the waters are come in even unto my soul. I stick fast in the deep mire, where no ground is. I am weary of crying; my throat is dry. Save me, O God.

444 *Psalm* liv., 1, 2, 3, 4.

SAVE me, O God, for Thy name's sake, and avenge me in thy strength. Hear my prayer, O God, and hearken unto the words of my mouth. God is my helper: the Lord is with them that uphold my soul.

445 *Psalm* xx., 9; xxviii., 10; xxi., 13.

SAVE, Lord, and hear us, O King of Heaven, when we call upon Thee. O save Thy people, and give Thy blessing unto Thine inheritance. Feed them and set them up for ever. So will we sing and praise thy power. Hallelujah. Amen.

446 *Psalm* xx., 9.

SAVE, Lord, and hear us, O King of Heaven, when we call upon Thee.

447

SAVE, Lord; O hear us when we call; forsake us not for ever, revive us for Thy mercy's sake. We pray Thee return. O hear us, Lord, forsake us not.

448 *Psalm* xxiii.; cxxi., 3—7,

SAVE us, O God, we fix our hope in Thee, and to Thy shadowing wing for refuge flee. Though I walk in the valley of the shadow of death, yet will I fear no ill, for Thou art with me. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: He that keepeth thee will not sleep. Behold, He that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep. The Lord Himself is thy keeper, and He is thy defence on thy right hand, so that the sun shall not burn thee by day, neither the moon by night. The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: yea, it is even He that shall keep thy soul.

449

SEE what love the Father bestowed on us in His goodness, that we should be called God's own children.

450 1 *Cor.* xv., 21, 22.

SINCE by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

451

SEND out Thy light and Thy truth, let them lead me and bring me to Thy holy hill. O God, then will I go unto Thine altar; on the harp we will praise Thee, O Lord our God. Why, O soul, art thou sorrowful, and why cast down within me? Still trust the loving kindness of the God of thy strength, and my tongue shall yet praise Him who hath pleaded my cause. O Lord our God, Thou wilt save Thine Anointed. Thou wilt hear us from heaven. Though in chariots some put their faith, our trust is in Thee. They are brought down and fallen, but the Lord is our helper, and we shall not be afraid.

452 *Psalm* lxxxv., 7.

SHEW us Thy mercy, O Lord, and grant us Thy salvation.

453 *Psalm* lxxxi., 1—4.

SING joyfully unto God our strength; sing loud unto the God of Jacob. Take the song, and bring forth the timbrel, the pleasant harp, and the viol. Blow the trumpet in the new moon, even in the time appointed, and at our feast-day. For this is a statute for Israel, and a law of the God of Jacob.

454 *Isaiah* xlix., 13, 14, 15; li., 1, 2, 3.

SING, O heavens, and be joyful, O Earth, break forth into

singing, O mountains; for the Lord hath comforted His people, and will have mercy upon His afflicted. But Zion said, the Lord hath forsaken me, and my Lord hath forgotten me. Can a women forget her sucking child, that she should not have compassion on the son of her womb? Yea, they may forget, yet will I not forget thee. Hearken to Me, ye that follow after righteousness, ye that seek the Lord, look unto the rock whence ye are hewn; look unto Abraham your father, and unto Sarah that bare you, for I called him alone, and blessed him, and increased him. For the Lord shall comfort Zion, He will comfort all her waste places, and He will make her wilderness like Eden, and her desert like the garden of the Lord: joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving, and the voice of melody. Amen.

455 *Isaiah* xlix., 13; li., 3.

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456 *Isaiah* xlix., 13, 14; lv., 7; xxx., 18, *&c.*

SING, O heavens, and be joyful, O earth; break forth into singing, O mountains, for the Lord hath comforted His people, and will have mercy on His afflicted. Let not Zion say, The Lord hath forsaken me. Return unto the Lord, and He will have mercy upon you; and to your God, for He will abundantly pardon. Therefore will the Lord wait, that He may be gracious unto you, and therefore will He be exalted, that He may have mercy upon you, for the Lord is a God of judgment, blessed are they that wait for His salvation.

457 *Psalm* xcvi., 2 ; xcii., 4, *&c.*

SING unto the Lord, and praise His name, be telling of His salvation from day to day. Thou, Lord, hast made us glad through Thy works, and we will rejoice in giving praise for the operation of Thy hands. Thou, O God, hast shewed us Thy goodness plenteously, and hast let us see our desire upon our enemies. Thou hast been our succour, leave us not, neither forsake us, O God of our salvation. So we that are Thy people, and sheep of Thy pasture, will give Thee thanks for ever, and will always be showing forth Thy praise from generation to generation.

458 *Psalm* xxx., 4, 11, 12, 13.

SING unto the Lord, ye that are His saints; and give thanks with remembrance of His holiness. The Lord hath heard me, and taken mercy upon me; the Lord is my helper. Thou hast turned my sorrow into joy; Thou hast put off my sackcloth, and hast compassed me with gladness, that my glory may sing to Thee without grief. O Lord, my God, I shall evermore give thanks unto Thee.

459 *Psalm* xxx., 4, 5.

SING unto the Lord, O ye saints of His; and give thanks at the remembrance of His holiness. For His anger endureth but a moment, in His favour is life; weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.

460 *Psalm* lxxxi., 1—4.

SING we merrily unto God our strength; make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob. Take the psalm, bring hither the tabret, the merry harp, with the lute. Blow up the trumpet in the new moon, even in the time appointed, and upon our solemn feast-day. For this was made a statute for Israel, and a law of the God of Jacob. Hallelujah.

461 *Psalm* xxx., 4, 5.

SING praises unto the Lord, O ye saints of His, and give thanks unto Him for a remembrance of His holiness; for His wrath endures but for a moment, and in His pleasure is life: heaviness may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.

462 *Psalm* lxviii., 32.

SING unto God, O ye kingdoms of the earth; O sing praises unto the Lord.

463 *Psalm* lxviii., 4.

SING unto God, and sing praises unto His name; O praise Him and rejoice before Him.

464 *Isaiah* xii., 5, 6.

SING unto the Lord, for He hath done excellent things: this is known in all the earth. Cry aloud and shout, thou inhabitant of Sion, for great is the Holy One of Israel in the midst of thee.

465 *Psalm* xcvi., 2; xcii., 4, *&c.*

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466 *Isaiah* xlii.. 10, 12, 13; xl., 22, &c.

SING unto the Lord a new song, ye that go down to the sea, the isles and the inhabitants thereof; let them give glory unto the Lord, and declare His praise. The Lord shall go forth in His might, He shall prevail against His enemies. The Lord who maketh a way in the sea, and a path in the mighty waters, He shall prevail against His enemies. He sitteth upon the circle of the earth; He stretched out the heavens as a curtain; He speaketh the word, and the winds and seas obey his voice. The Lord shall strengthen us with His arm, and uphold us with His right hand. The Lord our God is with us; He is our Redeemer, even the Holy One of Israel. Hallelujah.

467

SING ye praise, all ye redeemed of the Lord, redeemed from the hand of the foe, from your distresses, from deep affliction, who sat in the shadow of death and darkness. All ye that cry in trouble unto the Lord, sing ye praise! give ye thanks! proclaim aloud His goodness! He counteth all your sorrows in the time of need, He comforts the bereaved with His regard. Sing ye praise! give ye thanks! proclaim aloud His goodness! All ye that cried unto the Lord in distress and deep affliction, He counteth all your sorrows in the time of need.

468

SLEEPERS, awake! a voice is calling,
It is the watchman on the walls,
Thou city of Jerusalem:
For lo! the Bridegroom comes:
Arise and take your lamps. Hallelujah!
Awake! His kingdom is at hand;
Go forth to meet your Lord.

469

SOURCE of light and life divine,
We now implore Thee, Lord! on us Thy light let shine
While we adore Thee!
Thou shalt be Lord of all we own,
Send grace to all from zone to zone;
Extend to us Thy love,
And with pleasure
Let us measure,
All the treasures Thou hast giv'n—
All our blessing come from heav'n.

Oh! make our hearts Thy dwelling place,
And let us gather
On earth all wisdom, love, and grace
From Thee, O God our Father.
Grant us Thy loving kindness free,
Let us in trouble look to Thee;
Thou who made us,
Thou wilt aid us,
Surely lead us—all-sustaining,
Where joy alone is reigning. Amen.

470 *Nehemiah* ix., 5, 6; *Isaiah* lxii., 15, 16.

STAND up and bless the Lord your God for ever and ever. Blessed be Thy glorious name, which is exalted above all blessing and praise. Thou, even Thou, art Lord alone; Thou hast made the heaven, the heaven of heavens, with all their hosts, the earth, and all things that are therein, the seas, and all that is therein; and Thou preservest them all, and the Host of Heaven worshippeth Thee. Look down from Heaven, and behold from the habitation of Thy holiness and of Thy glory; For Thou, O Lord, art our Father, our Redeemer; Thy name is from everlasting.

471 *Isaiah* liii., 5.

SURELY He hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows;

He was wounded for our transgressions; He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon Him; and with His stripes we are healed.

472

SWEET is Thy mercy, Lord!
Before Thy mercy seat
My soul adoring pleads Thy word,
And owns Thy mercy sweet.

Where'er Thy name is blest,
Where'er Thy people meet,
There I delight in Thee to rest,
And find Thy mercy sweet.

Light Thou our weary way,
Lead Thou our wand'ring feet;
That, while we stay on earth, we may
Still find Thy mercy sweet.

Thus shall the heavenly host
Hear all our songs repeat,
To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Our joy, Thy mercy sweet.

473 *Psalm* cxix., 1, 2, 3, 4, 8.

TEACH me, O Lord, the way of Thy statutes, and I shall keep it unto the end. Give me understanding, and I shall keep Thy law; yea, I shall keep it with my whole heart. Make me to go in the path of Thy commandments; for therein is my desire. Incline my heart unto Thy testimonies; and not to covetousness. Behold my desire is in Thy commandments; O quicken me in Thy righteousness.

474 *Psalm* cxix., 33—40.

TEACH me, O Lord, the way of Thy statutes, and I shall keep it unto the end, Give me understanding, and I shall

keep Thy law. Make me to go in the way of Thy commandments, for therein is my desire. Incline mine heart unto Thy testimonies, and not to covetousness. O stablish Thy word in Thy servant, that I may fear Thee. Behold, my delight is in Thy commandments. O quicken me in Thy righteousness.

475 *Psalm* cxix., 31, 33, 35.

TEACH me, O Lord, the way of Thy statutes; and I shall keep it unto the end. I have stuck unto Thy testimonies, O Lord, confound me not. Make me to go in the path of Thy commandments, for therein is my desire.

476 *Psalm* lxxxvi., 11—16.

TEACH me Thy way, O Lord, and I will walk in Thy truth: O knit my heart unto Thee, that I may fear Thy name. I will thank Thee, O Lord my God, with all my heart, and will praise Thy name for evermore; for great is Thy mercy toward me, and Thou hast delivered my soul from the nethermost hell. O God, the proud are risen against me, and the congregations of naughty men have songht after my soul, and have not set Thee before their eyes. But Thou, O Lord God, art full of compassion and mercy, long-suffering, plenteous in goodness and truth. O turn Thee unto me, and have mercy upon me; give Thy strength unto Thy servant, and help the son of Thine handmaid. Amen.

477 *Psalm* xxiv., 1—5.

THE earth is the Lord's, and all that therein is; the compass of the world, and they that dwell therein. For He hath founded it upon the seas, and prepared it upon the floods. Who shall ascend into the hill of the Lord; or who shall rise up in His holy place? Even he that hath clean hands, and a pure heart, and that hath not lift up his

mind unto vanity, nor sworn to deceive his neighbour. He shall receive the blessing from the Lord; and righteousness from the God of his salvation.

478 *Psalm* xxxiv., 8, 15, 16, 17.

THE eyes of the Lord are over the righteous, and His ears are open to their prayers; but the countenance of the Lord is against them that do evil. The righteous crieth and the Lord heareth them, and delivereth them out of all their troubles. O taste and see how gracious the Lord is; blessed is the man that trusteth in Him.

479 *Psalm* xxxiv., 16—32.

THE face of the Lord is against them that do evil, to cut off the remembrance of them from the earth. The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart, and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit. Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord delivereth him out of all. The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles. He keepeth all his bones, not one of them is broken. Evil shall slay the wicked, and they that hate the righteous shall be desolate. The Lord redeemeth the souls of His servants, and they that trust in Him shall not be desolate.

480 *Psalm* xiv., 1; xxxvii., 37.

THE fool hath said in his heart, There is no God, there shall no harm happen unto me. I went by, and lo! he was gone; I sought him, but his place could nowhere be found. The Lord knoweth the days of the godly; and their inheritance shall endure for ever.

481 *Titus* ii., 11. *Psalm* xcviii., 3, *&c.*

THE Grace of God, that bringeth salvation, hath appeared

to all men, and all the ends of the world have seen the salvation of our God. Blessed be He that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the Highest. In Him was Life, and the Life was the light of men.

482 *Psalm* civ., 31, 33, 34, 35. *Bible version.*

THE glory of the Lord shall endure for ever. The Lord shall rejoice in His works. I will sing unto the Lord as long as I live: I will sing praise to my God while I have my being. My meditation of Him shall be sweet. I will be glad in the Lord. Bless thou the Lord, O my soul, bless ye the Lord.

483 *Psalm* xix., 1—5. *Rev.* xv., 13, *&c.*

THE heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament sheweth His handiwork; one day telleth another, and one night certifieth another: there is neither speech nor language, but their voices are heard among them. There sound is gone out into all lands, and their words into the ends of the world. In them hath He set a tabernacle for the sun, which cometh forth as a bridegroom out of his chamber, and rejoiceth as a giant to run his course. Great and marvellous are Thy works, Lord God Almighty; just and true are Thy ways, Thou King of Saints. Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory, and honour, and power; for Thou hast created all things, and for Thy pleasure they are and were created. Hallelujah.

484 *Psalm* xxi., 1, 3, 6; lxi., 7, *&c.*

THE King shall rejoice in Thy strength, O Lord, exceeding glad shall he be of Thy salvation. Thou shalt prevent him with the blessings of goodness, and hast set a crown of pure gold upon his head. O Lord, grant him a long life, that his years may endure throughout all generations. He shall dwell before God for ever. O prepare Thy loving mercy and faithfulness, that they may preserve him. As for

his enemies clothe them with shame; but upon himself let his crown flourish. Amen.

485

THE light of the evening now with gloom is blending,
All that is mortal to rest is descending:
Even the flower
In the fragrant bower,
Now feels night's power.

Keep distant all danger, all that may offend us,
Thou, Lord, watch o'er us, let angels defend us,
All power possessing,
Evil thoughts pressing,
O send Thy blessing.

From slumber awaking, let Thy love still guard us,
Lord, in Thy goodness with mercy towards us,
To every nation
Throughout all creation,
O give salvation.

486

THE Lord descended from above,
And bow'd the heavens most high:
And underneath His feet He cast,
The darkness of the sky.

On cherubs, and on cherubims,
Full royally He rode,
And on the wings of mighty winds
Came flying all around.

487

Psalm l., 1, 3, 6, 15.

THE Lord, even the most mighty God, hath spoken, and called the world, from the rising up of the sun, unto the going down thereof. The heavens shall declare His righ-

teousness: for God is Judge Himself. Our God shall come, and shall not keep silence: there shall go before Him a consuming fire, and a mighty tempest shall be stirred up round about Him. Call upon God in the time of trouble: so will He hear thee, and thou shalt praise Him.

488 *Psalm* l., 1—6, 14, 15, *&c.*

THE Lord, even the most mighty God hath spoken, and called the world from the rising up of the sun, unto the going down thereof. Out of Sion hath God appeared in perfect beauty. Our God shall come, and shall not keep silence. There shall go before Him a consuming fire, and a mighty tempest shall be stirred up round about Him. He shall call the heaven from above, and the earth that He may judge His people. And the heavens shall declare His righteousness, for God is Judge himself. Gather my saints together unto me, those that have made a covenant with me with sacrifice. Offer unto God thanksgiving, and pay thy vows unto the most Highest. And call upon me in the time of trouble, so will I hear thee, and thou shalt praise me. Glory be to God on high, and in earth peace, good-will towards men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee for Thy great glory, O Lord God heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

489 *Psalm* lxviii., 11. *Rom.* x., 15, 18.

THE Lord gave the word: great was the company of the preachers. How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace and bring glad tidings of good things! Their sound is gone out into all lands, and their words unto the ends of the world.

490 *Psalm* cxv., 12, 13, 15.

THE Lord hath been mindful of us, and He shall bless us. He shall bless them that fear Him, both small and great.

Ye are the blessed of the Lord: who made heaven and earth.

491 *Psalm* ciii., 19, 20, 21, 22.

THE Lord hath prepared His seat in heaven, and His kingdom ruleth over all. O praise the Lord, ye angels of His, ye that excel in strength, ye that fulfil His commandments, and hearken unto the voice of the Lord. O praise the Lord, all ye His hosts, ye servants of His that do His pleasure. O speak good of the Lord, all ye works of His, in all places of His dominion: praise thou the Lord, O my soul, praise the Lord.

492 *Psalm* xx., 1, 2, 3, 4.

THE Lord hear thee in the day of trou le: the name o the God of Jacob defend thee. Send thee help from the sanctuary; and strengthen thee out of Sion. Remember all thy offerings; and accept thy burnt-sacrifice. Grant thee thy heart's desire; and fulfil all thy mind.

493 *Psalm* ciii., 8, 9, 13, 14, *&c.*

THE Lord is full of compassion and mercy, long-suffering, and of great goodness. He will not alway be chiding, neither keepeth He His anger for ever. Yea, like as a father pitieth his own children, even so is the Lord merciful unto them that fear Him; for He knoweth whereof we are made, He remembereth that we are but dust. Blessed be the Lord God of Israel from everlasting and world without end. Amen.

494 *Psalm* civ., 8, 9 13, 19, 20, 21.

THE Lord is full of compassion and mercy, long suffering, and of great goodness. He will not alway be chiding, nei-

ther keepeth He His anger for ever. Yea, like as a father pitieth his own children, even so is the Lord merciful unto them that fear Him. The Lord hath prepared His seat in heaven, and His kingdom ruleth over all. O praise the Lord, ye angels of His, ye that excel in strength, ye that fulfil His commandments, and hearken unto the voice of His words. O praise the Lord all ye His hosts, ye servants of His that do His pleasure. Hallelujah. Amen.

495

THE Lord is good, fresh acts of grace
His pity still supplies;
His anger moves with slowest pace,
His willing mercy flies.

By angels in heaven
Of every degree,
And saints upon earth,
All praise be addrest:
To God in three persons
One God ever blest,
As it has been, now is,
And always shall be.

Therefore will we the righteous ways,
Of Providence proclaim,
Will sing the praise of God most high,
And celebrate His name.

496 *Psalm* xcix., 2, 9.

THE Lord is great in Zion, and high above all people. O magnify the Lord our God, and worship Him upon His holy hill; for the Lord our God is holy.

497 *Psalm* xcix., 1, 2, 3.

THE Lord is King, be the people never so impatient; He sitteth between the Cherubims, be the earth never so

unquiet. The Lord is great in Sion, and high above all people. They shall give thanks unto Thy name, which is great, and wonderful, and holy. Hallelujah.

498 *Psalm* xclii., 1—6.

THE Lord is King, and hath put on glorious apparel; the Lord hath put on His apparel and girded Himself with strength. He hath made the round world so sure that it cannot be moved. Ever since the world began hath Thy seat been prepared; Thou art from everlasting. The floods are risen, O Lord, the floods have lift up their voice, the floods lift up their waves. The waves of the sea are mighty and rage horribly; but yet the Lord who dwelleth on high is mightier. Thy testimonies, O Lord, are very sure. Holiness becometh Thine house for ever. Amen.

499 *Habakkuk* ii., 20.

THE Lord is in His holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before Him. Hallelujah. Amen.

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THE Lord is mindful of His own; He remembers His children. Bow down before Him ye mighty, for the Lord is near us. How lovely are the messengers that preach us the gospel of peace. To all the nations is gone forth the sound of their words, throughout all the lands their glad tidings.

501 *Psalm* xxvii., 1, 4, 5, 10.

THE Lord is my light and my salvation, whom then shall I fear; the Lord is the strength of my life, of whom then shall I be afraid? In the time of trouble He shall hide me in His tabernacle, in the secret place of His dwelling, and set me up upon a rock of stone. One thing have I

desired, which I will require; even that I may dwell in the house of the Lord for ever, to behold the fair beauty of the Lord. O hide not Thou Thy face from me, nor cast away Thy servant in displeasure. I should utterly have fainted, but that I believe to see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.

502 *Psalm* xxvii., 1, 5, 7, 16.

THE Lord is my light, whom then shall I fear? The Lord is my strength, of whom then shall I be afraid. Oh! wait thou still upon the Lord, and He shall comfort thine heart. For in the time of my trouble He shall hide me in His secret place, and set me up upon a rock of stone. Therefore will I offer in His dwelling an oblation; yea, I will sing and speak praises unto the Lord.

503 *Psalm* xxiii, 1, 4, 14, 15, *&c*

THE Lord is my Shepherd; therefore can I lack nothing. He shall feed me in a green pasture, and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort. He shall convert my soul, and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake. Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for thou art with me. The Lord upholdeth all such as fall, and lifteth up all those that are down. The eyes of all wait upon Thee, O Lord, and Thou givest them their meat in due season. Thou openest Thine Hand and fillest all things living with plenteousness. My mouth shall speak the praises of the Lord, and let all flesh give thanks unto His Holy name, for ever and ever.

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THE Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want; He maketh me to lie down in green pastures, He leadeth me beside still waters; He restoreth my soul; He leadeth me in the

paths of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil, and my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

505 *Psalm* xxiii., 1—6.

THE Lord is my shepherd, therefore can I lack nothing. He shall feed me in a green pasture, and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort. He shall convert my soul, and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff comfort me. Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that trouble me; Thou hast anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full. But Thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever Amen.

506 *Psalm* cxviii., 14, 15, 24, 25, 26, 29.

THE Lord is my strength and my song, and He is become my salvation. The voice of joy and health is in the dwellings of the righteous: the right hand of the Lord bringeth mighty things to pass. This is the day which the Lord hath made, we will rejoice and be glad in it. Help me now, O Lord: O Lord, send us now prosperity. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord: we have wished you good luck, ye that are of the house of the Lord. O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is gracious, and His mercy endureth for ever.

507 *Exodus* xv., 2, 11, 18.

THE Lord is my strength and my song, and He is become

my salvation; He is my God, I will exalt Him. Who is like unto Thee, O Lord, among the gods: glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, doing wonders. The Lord shall reign for ever. Hallelujah. Amen.

508 *Psalm* cxviii., 14, 15, 24.

THE Lord is my strength and my song, and is become my salvation. The voice of joy and health is in the dwellings of the righteous: the right hand of the Lord bringeth mighty things to pass. This is the day which the Lord hath made: we will rejoice and be glad in it.

509 *Psalm* cxviii., 14, 28.

THE Lord is my strength, and my song, and is become my salvation. Thou art my God, and I will thank Thee: Thou art my God, and I will praise Thee. O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is gracious, and His mercy endureth for ever. Hallelujah.

510 *Psalm* cxviii., 14 19, 22, 24.

THE Lord is my strength and my song, and is become my salvation. Open me the gates of righteousness, that I may go into them, and give thanks unto the Lord. The same stone which the builders refused, is become the head stone of the corner. This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it. Hallelujah. Amen.

511 *Psalm* cxlv., 17, 18, 19; lxi., 5, *&c.*

THE Lord is righteous in all His ways, and holy in all His works. The Lord is nigh unto all them that call upon Him; yea, all such as call upon Him faithfully. He will fulfil the desire of them that fear Him, He also will hear their cry, and

will help them. Thou, Lord, hast heard our desires, and given an heritage unto those that fear Thy name. Therefore shall every good man sing of Thy praise without ceasing. Hallelujah. Amen.

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THE Lord is righteous in all His ways, and holy in all His works. The Lord upholdeth all such as fall, and lifteth up all those that are down.

513 *Psalm* cxix., 57. *Wisdom of Sol.* v., 15, 16, *&c.*

THE Lord is the portion of the just who keep His law. They shall live for ever: their reward is with the Lord, and the care of them is with the Most High. They shall receive a kingdom of glory, and a crown of beauty at the hand of the Lord.

Blessed for ever be the Eternal King:
For evermore Jehovah's praises sing.

514 *Ecclus.* xliii., 11, 12, 13, 19, 20, 29.

THE Lord is very great and terrible, marvellous in His power; He is great, above all His works. Look upon the rainbow, and praise Him that made it: beautiful it is in the brightness thereof, it compasseth the heaven with a glorious circle, and the hand of the Most High hath bended it. He maketh the snow to fall apace, and sendeth swiftly the lightnings of His judgment; the hoar frost also He poureth on the ground, and the eye marvelleth at the beauty of the whiteness thereof. When the cold north wind bloweth, and the water is congealed into ice, it is clothed as with a breastplate. O how unsearchable are all His works, and His ways are past finding out. At His sight the mountains are shaken, and at His will the south wind bloweth; the noise of the thunder, the northern storm, and the whirlwind, make the earth tremble. Sing unto God, and sing praises unto His

name, and magnify Him that rideth upon the heavens: praise Him in His name Jehovah, yea, and rejoice before Him. Amen.

515 *Psalm* cxlv., 21, 22.

THE Lord preserveth all them that love Him, but scattereth abroad all the ungodly. My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord, and let all flesh give thanks unto His holy name, for ever and ever. Amen.

516 *Psalm* xcvii., 10, 11, 12.

THE Lord preserveth the souls of His saints; He shall deliver them from the hand of the ungodly. There is sprung up a light for the righteous, and joyful gladness for such as are true-hearted. Rejoice in the Lord ye righteous, and give thanks for a remembrance of His holiness.

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THE Lord send Thee help from the sanctuary, and strengthen Thee out of Zion. Grant thee thy heart's desire, and fulfil all thy mind. Our God hath sent forth strength for us. Confirm the thing, O God, that Thou hast wrought in us. O God, wonderful art Thou in Thy holy places, even the God of Israel. He will give strength and power unto His people. Blessed be God.

518 *Isaiah* li., 3; lii., 8.

THE Lord will comfort Zion, even her waste places. He will make her desert like the garden of the Lord; joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving and the voice of melody. The Lord will wipe away tears from off every eye and there shall be no more death; neither shall there be any more pain. The rebuke of His people shall He

take away. The watchmen shall lift up the voice; together shall they sing when the Lord shall bring again Zion. Break forth into singing for the Lord hath redeemed His people.

519 *Isaiah* li., 3.

THE Lord will comfort Zion, He will comfort all her waste places, and make her like Eden, like the garden of the Lord: joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving, and the voice of melody.

Hallelujah to the Father, and the Son of God. Praise the Lord, ye everlasting choir, in holy songs of joy. Worlds unborn shall sing His glory: the exalted Son of God. Praise the Lord in holy songs of joy.

520 *Job* xxxviii, 7; *S. Luke* ii., 11, *&c.*

THE morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy. For unto you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour which is Christ the Lord. Rejoice ye with Jerusalem, all ye that love her; rejoice, all ye that mourn for her. For thus saith the Lord; I will extend peace to her like a river, and the glory of the Gentiles as a flowing stream. Hallelujah.

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THE nations are the Lord's, they are His Christ's. For all the Gentiles come before Thee, and shall worship Thy name. Now are made manifest Thy glorious law, and judgments.

522 *Romans* xiii, 12.

THE night is far spent, the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the whole armour of light.

523 *Psalm* cxix., 85.

THE proud have digged pits for me, which are not after Thy law.

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THE righteous souls that take their flight,
Far from this world of pain,
In God's paternal bosom blest,
For ever shall remain.

To minds unwise they seem to die,
All joyful hope to cease,
While they secured by faith repose,
In everlasting peace.

For at the great, the awful day,
When Christ descends from high;
With myriads of angelic saints,
They'll meet Him in the sky.

Their God, their Judge, their mighty Lord,
Shall pour redeeming grace,
And call them ever to behold,
The brightness of His face.

525 *Psalm* xxxvii., 40, 41.

THE salvation of the righteous cometh of the Lord, who is also their strength in the time of trouble. And the Lord shall stand by them and save them. He shall deliver them from the ungodly, and shall save them, because they put their trust in Him.

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THE sorrows of death had closed all around me, and hell's dark terrors had got hold upon me, with trouble

and deep heaviness; but, said the Lord, come, arise from the dead, and awake, thou that sleepest, I bring Thee salvation. We called through the darkness, Watchman, will the night soon pass? The watchman only said, Though the morning will come, the night will come also; ask ye, enquire ye, ask if ye will, enquire ye, return again, ask; Watchman, will the night soon pass? The night is departing, the day is approaching; therefore let us cast off the works of darkness, and let us gird on the armour of light.

Let all men thank the Lord; our joyful praise be given
With heart and voice to Him who reigns in highest heaven;
To God the Father praise; and praise to God the Son:
To God the Holy Ghost be equal homage done. Amen.

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Wisdom iii., 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8.

THE souls of the righteous are in the hands of God, and there shall no torment touch them. In the sight of the unwise they seem to die, and their departure is taken for misery, but they are in peace. For though they be punished in the sight of men, yet is their hope full of immortality. For God hath proved them, and found them worthy of Himself; and in the day of their visitation they shall shine. They shall judge the nations, and have dominion over the people, and their Lord shall reign for ever. Amen.

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Wisdom iii, 1, 2, 3.

THE souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and there shall no torment touch them. In the sight of the unwise they seemed to die, and their departure is taken for misery, and their going from us to be utter destruction. But they are in peace.

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THE voice of the Lord is mighty in operation. The voice of the Lord is a glorious voice. The Lord of hosts is with us, the God of Jacob is our refuge.

530 *Lamentations* i., 4, 5, 11, 12, 16.

THE ways of Zion do mourn, beeause none come to the solemn feasts, all her gates are desolate, her priests sigh, her virgins are afflicted, and she is in bitterness. For these things I weep, mine eye runneth down with water. Her adversaries are the chief, her enemies prosper, for the Lord hath afflicted her. For the multitude of her transgressions the Lord hath afflicted her. See, O Lord, and consider, for I am become vile. Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by? behold, and see if there be any sorrow like unto my sorrow. The Lord hath trodden under foot all my mighty men in the midst of me; He hath called an assembly against me, to crush my young men; the Lord hath trodden under foot the virgin, the daughter of Judah. For these things I weep, mine eye runneth down with water, because the Comforter that should relieve my soul is far from me.

531 *Isaiah* xxxv., 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10.

THE wilderness and the solitary place shall be glad for them, and the desert shall rejoice and blossom as the rose; It shall blossom abundantly, and rejoice with joy and singing. Say to them of a fearful heart, Be strong, fear not, behold your God will come, even God; He will come and save you. Then shall the lame man leap as an hart, and the tongue of the dumb sing; for in the wilderness shall waters break out, and streams in the desert. And a highway shall be there, it shall be called the way of holiness, the unclean shall not pass over it; but the redeemed shall walk there. And the ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs, and everlasting joy upon their heads; they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

532 *Isaiah* xxxv., 1—6, 8, 9, 10.

THE wilderness and the solitary place shall be glad for them, and the desert shall rejoice and blossom as the rose.

It shall blossom abundantly, and rejoice, even with joy and singing; the glory of Lebanon shall be given unto it, the excellency of Carmel and Sharon; they shall see the glory of the Lord, and the excellency of our God. Strengthen ye the weak hands, and confirm the feeble knees. Say to them that are of a fearful heart, be strong, fear not; behold your God will come with vengeance, even God with a recompense; He will come and save you. Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf unstopped. Then shall the lame man leap as an hart, and the tongue of the dumb shall sing; for in the wilderness shall waters break out, and streams in the desert. And a highway shall be there, and a way, and it shall be called the way of holiness; the unclean shall not pass over it, but it shall be for those; the way-faring men, though fools, shall not err therein. No lion shall be there, nor any ravenous beast shall go up thereon, it shall not be found there, but the redeemed shall walk there. And the ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs, and everlasting joy upon their heads; they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

533 1 *Cor.* xv., 54, 55, 56 57.

THEN shall be brought to pass the saying that is written: Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin: and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory, through our Lord Jesus Christ.

534 *Isaiah* xxxv., 5, 6; xl., 11, *&c.*

THEN shall the eyes of the blind be opened, and the ears of the deaf unstopped; then shall the lame man leap as a hart, and the tongue of the dumb shall sing. He shall feed His flock like a shepherd, and He shall gather the lambs with His arm and carry them in His bosom, and gently lead those that are with young. Come unto Him all ye that

labour, and are heavy laden, and He will give you rest. Take His yoke upon you, and learn of Him, for He is meek. and lowly of heart, and ye shall find rest unto your souls, His yoke is easy and His burden is light.

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THEN shall the righteous shine forth as the sun in their heavenly Father's realm. O come every one that thirsteth, O come to the waters; come to Him: O hear, and your souls shall live for ever.

536 *Revelation* xiv., 4, 5.

THESE are they which follow the Lamb whithersoever He goeth. These were redeemed from among men, being the first-fruits unto God and the Lamb. And in their mouth was found no guile, for they are without fault before the throne of God.

537 *Revelation* vii., 14, 15, 16, 17.

THESE are they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes and made them white in the Blood of the Lamb. Therefore are they before the Throne of God, and serve Him day and night in His temple: and He that sitteth on the Throne shall dwell among them. They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; neither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat. For the Lamb which is in the midst of the Throne shall feed them, and shall lead them unto living fountains of waters: and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes.

538 *Revelation* xiv., 4.

THESE were redeemed from among men, being the first-fruits unto God and unto the Lamb.

539 *S. Luke* ii., 8—14. *Isaiah* ix., 6.

THERE were shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people, for unto you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, and peace on earth, goodwill towards men. For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given, and the government shall be upon His shoulder, and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.

540 2 *Samuel*, i., 23; *Wisdom* v., 5, *&c.*

THEY were lovely and pleasant in their lives, and in death they were not divided; they were swifter than eagles, they were stronger than lions. How are they numbered among the children of God, and their lot is among the saints! As gold in the furnace hath He tried them, and received them as a burnt-offering. And in the time of their visitation they shall shine, and run to and fro like sparks among the stubble. Faint not to be strong in the Lord, that He may confirm you, cleave unto Him, for the Lord Almighty is God alone, and beside Him there is no other Saviour.

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AND when they had ordained them elders in every church, and had prayed, with fasting, they commended them to the Lord, on whom they had believed. They shall be named the Priests of the Lord: men shall call them the Ministers of our God. The Lord will direct their work in truth, and He will make an everlasting covenant with them.

Lord pour Thy Spirit from on high,
  And Thine ordained servants bless.
Graces and gifts to each supply,
  And clothe Thy Priests with righteousness.
So when their work is finished here,
  They may in hope their charge resign;
So when their Master shall appear,
  They may with crowns of glory shine. Amen.

542 *Psalm* cvii., 23—30.

THEY that go down to the sea in ships: These men see the works of the Lord, and His wonders in the deep. For at His word the stormy wind ariseth, which lifteth up the waves thereof. They are carried up to heaven, and down again to the deep; their soul melteth away because of trouble. They reel to and fro, and stagger like a drunken man, and are at their wit's end. So when they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, He delivereth them out of their distress. For He maketh the storm to cease, so that the waves thereof are still. Then are they glad, because they are at rest, and so He bringeth them unto the haven where they would be. O that men would therefore praise the Lord for his goodness, and declare the wonders that He doth for the children of men. That they would exalt Him also in the congregation of the people, and praise Him in the seat of the elders.

543 *Psalm* cvii., 23—28, 31.

THEY that go down to the sea in ships, and occupy their business in great waters; these men see the works of the Lord, and His wonders in the deep. For at His word the stormy wind ariseth, which lifted up the waves thereof. They are carried up to the heaven, and down again to the deep; their soul melteth away because of the trouble. So when they cried unto the Lord in their trouble, he delivered them out of their distress. O that men would therefore

praise the Lord for His goodness, and declare the wonders that He doeth for the children of men. Amen.

544 *Isaiah* lx., 31.

THEY that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not be faint.

545 *Psalm* cxxv., 1.

THEY that put their trust in the Lord, shall be even as Mount Sion, which may not be removed, but standeth fast for ever.

546 *Psalm* cxviii., 9, 11, 24.

THIS is the day which the Lord hath made, we will rejoice and be glad in it. He maketh wars to cease in all the world. The Lord of Hosts is with us, the God of Jacob is our refuge.

547 *Psalm* cxviii., 24; cvii., 31, *&c.*

THIS is the day which the Lord hath made, we will rejoice. A sound of battle was heard in the land, and of great destruction; but the Lord hath delivered us from the hands of our enemies. Not unto us, O Lord, not unto us, but unto Thy name be the glory. O that men would therefore praise the Lord for His goodness, and declare the wonders that He doeth for the children of men. We cried unto the Lord, and the Lord saved us from our distress. He maketh peace in our borders, and filleth us with the flour of wheat.

548 *Psalm* cxviii., 24 25, 26, 28, 29.

THIS is the day which the Lord hath made, we will rejoice and be glad in it. Help me now, O Lord; O Lord send us now prosperity. Blessed be He that cometh in the name of the Lord. We have wished you good luck, ye that are of the house of the Lord. Thou art my God, and I will thank Thee; Thou art my God, and I will praise Thee. O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is gracious, and His mercy endureth for ever.

549 *Psalm* xliv., 5—9.

THOU art my King, O God; send help unto Jacob. Through Thee we will overthrow our enemies, and in Thy name will we tread them under that rise up against us. For I will not trust in my bow, it is not my sword that shall help me. But it is Thou that savest us from our enemies, and puttest them to confusion that hate us. We make our boast of God all day long, and will praise Thy name for ever.

550 *From the Burial Service.*

THOU knowest, Lord, the secrets of our hearts; shut not Thy merciful ears to our prayer, but spare us, Lord most holy, O God most mighty, O holy and most merciful Saviour, Thou most worthy Judge eternal, suffer us not at our last hour, for any pains of death, to fall from Thee. Amen.

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THOU Lord our refuge hast been from age to age. Ere Thou had'st brought forth the mountains or the earth had'st formed. Thou art God from everlasting, and world without end.

552 *Psalm* lxv., 1, 2, 5, 7, 9.

THOU, O God, art praised in Zion; unto Thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem. Thou that hearest the prayer, be merciful unto our sins. Thou shalt shew us wonderful things, O God of our salvation: Thou art the hope of all the ends of the earth. Thou stillest the raging of the sea, the noise of his waves, and the madness of the people. Thou visitest the earth and blessest it; Thou crownest the year with Thy goodness.

553 *Psalm* lxv., 1—5; lxviii., 19.

THOU, O God, art praised in Zion, and unto Thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem. Thou that hearest the prayer, unto Thee shall all flesh come; my misdeeds prevail against me, O be Thou merciful unto our sins. Blessed is the man whom Thou choosest, and receivest unto Thee; he shall dwell in Thy court, and shall be satisfied with the pleasures of Thy house, even of Thy holy temple. Thou shalt shew us wonderful things in Thy righteousness, O God of our salvation; Thou that art the hope of all the ends of the earth, and of them that remain in the broad sea. Praised be the Lord daily, even the God who helpeth us, and poureth His benefits upon us,

554 *Psalm* lxv., 9.

THOU visitest the earth and blessest it, Thou crownest the year with Thy goodness.

555 *Isaiah* xxvi., 3, 4.

THOU wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee, because he trusteth in Thee. Trust in the Lord for ever: the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength, Hallelujah.

556 *Isaiah* xxvi., 3. *Psalm* cxxxix., 11. 1 *S. John*, 1, *&c.*

THOU wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee. The darkness is no darkness with Thee, but the night is as clear as the day; the darkness and light to Thee are both alike. God is light, and in Him is no darkness at all. O let my soul live, and it shall praise Thee. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for evermore.

557 *Haggai* ii., 6, 7. *Malachi* iii., 1, *&c.*

THUS saith the Lord of Hosts, yet, once, a little while and I will shake the heavens, and the earth, the sea, and the dry land; and I will shake all nations, and the desire of all nations shall come. The Lord whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to His temple, even the messenger of the covenant whom ye delight in; behold He shall come, saith the Lord of Hosts. But who may abide the day of His coming? And who shall stand when He appeareth? For He is like a refiner's fire. And He shall purify the sons of Levi, that they may offer unto the Lord an offering in righteousness.

558 *Isaiah* xlix., 7, 13, 22, 23, 26.

THUS saith the Lord, the Redeemer of Israel, and His Holy One, to him whom man despiseth, whom the nation abhorreth, to a servant of rulers: Kings shall see and arise, princes also shall worship, because of the Lord that is faithful, and the Holy One of Israel, and He shall choose thee. Sing, O heavens, and be joyful, O earth, and break forth into singing, O mountains, for the Lord hath comforted His people, and will have mercy upon His afflicted. Thus saith the Lord God, Behold, I will lift up Mine hand to the Gentiles, and kings shall be thy nursing fathers, and queens thy nursing mothers, and all shall know that I am the Lord. Hallelujah. Amen.

559 *Psalm* xxxvi., 5, 6, 7.

THY mercy, O Lord, reacheth unto the Heavens, and Thy faithfulness unto the clouds. Thy righteousness standeth like the strong mountains; Thy judgments are like the great deep. How excellent is Thy mercy, O Lord; and the children of men shall put their trust under the shadow of Thy wings.

560 *Psalm* lxix., 21: *Lament.* i., 12., *&c.*

THY rebuke hath broken His heart; He is full of heaviness; He looked for some to have pity on Him, but there was no man, neither found He any to comfort Him. Behold and see, if there be any sorrow like unto His sorrow.

561 *Psalm* lxxvii., 13—18.

THY way, O God, is holy, who is so great a God as our God? Thou art the God that doeth wonders. Thou hast mightily delivered Thy people. The waters saw Thee, O God, the waters saw Thee, and were afraid; the depths also were troubled. The clouds poured out water, the air thundered, and thine arrows went abroad. The voice of the thunder was heard round about: the lightnings shone upon the ground: the earth was moved, and shook withal.

562 *Psalm* cxix., 105—111:

THY word is a lantern unto my feet, and a light unto my path. I have sworn, and am steadfastly purposed to keep thy righteous judgments. I am troubled above measure: quicken me, O Lord, according to Thy word. Let the free-will offerings of my mouth please Thee, O Lord; and teach me Thy judgments. The ungodly have laid a snare for me, but yet I swerved not from Thy commandments. Thy tes-

timonies have I claimed as mine heritage for ever: and why? they are the very joy of my heart. Hallelujah.

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To God on high be thanks and praise,
  Who deigns our bonds to sever:
His cares our drooping souls upraise
  And harm shall reach us never.
On Him we rest, with faith assured,—
Of all that live the Mighty Lord,
  For ever and for ever.

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To Thee, O Lord, I yield my spirit,
  Who break'st in love this mortal chain;
My life I but from Thee inherit,
  And death becomes my chiefest gain:
In Thee I live, in Thee I die
  Content, for Thou art ever nigh.

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To thee all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the powers therein. To thee cherubin and seraphin continually do cry: Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Sabaoth. Heaven and earth are full of the majesty of Thy glory.

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Daniel ix., 9, 10, 24.

To the Lord our God belong mercies and forgivenesses, though we have rebelled against Him; neither have we obeyed the voice of the Lord our God, to walk in His laws, which He set before us. O Lord, correet me but with judgment: not in Thine anger, lest Thou bring me to nothing.

567 *Psalm* cxxxix., 23, 24.

TRY me, O God, and seek the ground of my heart; prove me and examine my thoughts. Look well if there be any way of wickedness in me; and lead me in the way everlasting. Amen.

568 *Psalm* xc., 13.

TURN Thee again, O Lord, at the last, and be gracious unto Thy servants.

569 *Psalm* xxv., 15, 16, 17, 19.

TURN Thee unto me, O Lord, and have mercy upon me, for I am desolate and in misery. The sorrows of my heart are enlarged; O bring Thou me out of my troubles. Look upon my adversity, and forgive me all my sin. O keep my soul and deliver me, let me not be confounded, for I have put my trust in Thee.

570 *Psalm* li., 9, 10, 11.

TURN Thy face from my sins, and put out all my misdeed. Make me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

571 *Psalm* lxxxviii., 13 : xiii., 3 : vi., 4.

Unto Thee have I cried, O Lord, and early shall my prayer come before Thee. Consider and hear me, O Lord, lighten mine eyes, that I sleep not in death. Turn Thee, O Lord, and deliver my soul; O save me for Thy mercy's sake. Amen.

572 *Psalm* xxv., 1, 2, 3, 4.

UNTO Thee, O Lord, will I lift up my soul; my God, I have put my trust in Thee, O let me not be confounded, neither let mine enemies triumph over me. For all they that hope in Thee shall not be ashamed; but such as transgress without a cause shall be put to confusion. Shew me Thy ways, O Lord, and teach me Thy paths. Lead me forth in Thy truth, and learn me, for Thou art the God of my salvation; in Thee hath been my hope all the day long.

573 *Psalm* xxv., 1.

UNTO Thee, O Lord, will I lift up my soul; my God, I have put my trust in Thee; O let me not be confounded, neither let mine enemies triumph over me.

574 *Psalm* li., 2, 3.

WASH me throughly from my wickedness, and cleanse me from my sin. For I acknowledge my transgression, and my sin is ever before me.

575 *Ephesians* ii., 19, 20.

WE are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellow-citizens with the saints, and of the household of God; and are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ Himself being the chief corner-stone.

576 *Revelation* xi., 17; xv., 4, *&c.*

WE give Thee thanks, O Lord God Almighty, which art, and wast, and art to come, because Thou hast taken to Thee Thy great power, and hast reigned. Who shall not fear Thee, O Lord, and glorify Thy Name, for Thou only art holy. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the

Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

577 *Psalm* xliv., 1—6.

We have heard with our ears, O Lord, and our fathers have told us, of the mighty works that Thou hast done in their time of old: how Thou didst drive out the heathen with Thy hand, and plant them in. For they gat not their land by their own sword; it was not their own arm that helped them. But it was Thy right hand, Thine arm and the light of Thy countenance. Thou art my King, O God, send help unto Jacob. Through Thee will we overthrow our enemies; and in Thy name will we tread them down that rise up against us.

578 *Psalm* xlviii., 8—13.

We wait for Thy loving-kindness, O God, in the midst of Thy temple.

O God, according to Thy name, so is Thy praise unto the world's end: Thy right hand is full of righteousness. Let the mount Sion rejoice, and let the daughter of Judah be glad, because of Thy judgments, O Lord. Walk about Sion and go round about her, and tell the towers thereof; mark well her bulwarks, set up her houses, that ye may tell them that come after. For this God is our God for ever and ever. He will be our guide unto death.

579 *Psalm* xx., 5, 6, 7.

We will rejoice in Thy salvation, and triumph in the name of the Lord our God. Now know I that the Lord helpeth His anointed, and will hear him from His holy heaven, even with the saving strength of His right hand. Some put their trust in chariots, and some in horses, but we will remember the name of the Lord our God.

580 *S. John* v., 4, 7, 8. *Rev.* iv., 8, *&c.*

WHATSOEVER is born of God overcometh the world, and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith. For there are Three that bear record in heaven: the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost, and these Three are One. And there are three that bear witness in earth; the spirit, and the water, and the blood, and these three agree in one. Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, which was, and is, and is to come. We give Thee thanks, O Lord, which art, and wast, and art to come; because Thou hast taken to Thee Thy great power, and hast reigned.

581 *S. Matthew* ii., 1, 2.

WHEN Jesus our Lord was born in Bethlehem in the land of Judæa, behold, from the East to the city of Jerusalem there came wise men; and said: Say, where is He born, the King of Judæa? for we have seen His star and are come to adore Him.

582 *Psalm* cxx., 1; lxviii., 19, 20.

WHEN I was in trouble I called upon the Lord, and He heard me. Praised be the Lord daily: even the God who helpeth us, and poureth His benefits upon us. He is our God. God is the Lord by whom we escape death. Amen.

583 *Job* xxix., 11, 12: *Proverbs* xxxi., 26.

WHEN the ear heard him then it blessed him; and when the eye saw him it gave witness of him. He delivered the poor that cried, the fatherless, and him that had none to help him. Kindness, meekness and comfort, were in his tongue; if there was any virtue, and if there was any praise, he thought on those things.

584 *S. Matthew* xxv., 31—40.

WHEN the Son of Man shall come in His glory, and all the holy angels with Him, then shall He sit upon the throne of His glory. Before Him shall be gathered all nations, and He shall separate them one from another. He shall say to them on His right hand, Come ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. For I was hungry, and ye gave me meat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink; I was a stranger, and ye took me in: naked, and ye clothed me; I was sick, and ye visited me; I was in prison, and ye came unto me. Lord, when saw we Thee an hungry, and fed Thee? or thirsty, and gave Thee drink? When saw we Thee a stranger, and took Thee in? naked, and clothed Thee? or when saw we Thee sick, or in prison, and came unto Thee? Verily I say unto you, inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me. The righteous shall go into life eternal. Hallelujah.

585 *Psalm* cxiv., *Paraphrased.*

WHEN Israel out of Egypt came, and the house of Jacob from the strange land; then was Judah His sanctury, Israel His dominion. The sea saw that and fled, and Jordan's stream was driven back; all the high mountains skipped like rams, and all the little hills like young sheep. What aileth thee, thou sea, that thou fleddest? And thou Jordan, that thy stream was driven backward? At the Lord's coming ye trembled, at the presence of the God of Jacob; who turned rocks into standing water pools, and flint stones into springing fountains. Hallelujah. Sing to the Lord for evermore.

586 *Psalm* cxix., 9, 10, 12.

WHEREWITHAL shall a young man cleanse his way? even by ruling himself after Thy word. With my whole heart have I sought Thee; O let me not go wrong out of Thy

commandments. Blessed art Thou, O Lord; O teach me Thy statutes. Hallelujah. Amen.

587 *Psalm* cix., 9—16. *Bible version.*

WHEREWITHAL shall a young man cleanse his way? even by ruling himself after Thy word. With my whole heart have I sought Thee, O let me not wander from Thy commandments. Thy word have I hid within my heart; blessed art Thou, O Lord, teach me Thy statutes. With my lips have I declared all the judgements of Thy mouth. I have rejoiced in the way of Thy testimonies, as much as in all riches. I will meditate on Thy precepts, and have respect unto Thy ways. I will delight myself in Thy statutes, I will not forget Thy word.

588 *Psalm* cxix., 9, 10, 11, 12, 15. 16.

WHEREWITHAL shall a young man cleanse his way? even by ruling himself after Thy word. With my whole heart have I sought Thee, O let menot go wrong out of Thy commandments. Thy words have I hid within my heart, that I should not sin against Thee. Blessed art Thou, O Lord: O teach me Thy statutes. I will talk of Thy commandments, and have respect unto Thy ways. My delight shall be in Thy statutes, and I will not forget Thy word.

589 *Psalm* lxxiii., 24, 27.

WHOM have I in heaven but Thee? and there is none upon earth I desire in comparison of Thee. My flesh and my heart faileth, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion for ever. For lo, they that forsake Thee shall perish. Thou hast destroyed all them that commit fornication against Thee. But it is good for me to hold me fast by God, to put my trust in the Lord God, and to speak of all Thy works in the gates of the daughter of Zion. Amen.

590 *Isaiah* lxiii., 1, 3—9, 15, 16. *S. Matthew* xxi., 9.

WHO is this that cometh from Edom, with dyed garments from Bozrah? This that is glorious in his apparel, travelling in the greatness of his strength? I that speak in righteousness, mighty to save. I have trodden the wine-press alone, and of the people there was none with me; for I will tread them in mine anger, and their blood shall be sprinkled upon my garments. For the day of vengeance is in my heart, and the year of my redeemed is come. And I looked and there was none to help, and I wondered there was none to uphold; therefore mine own arm brought salvation, and my fury it upheld me. And I will tread the people in mine anger, and I will bring down their strength to the earth. I will mention the loving-kindness of the Lord, and the praises of the Lord, and His great goodness towards the house of Israel, which he hath bestowed upon them according to his mercies. For the angel of his presence saved them; in his love and in his pity he redeemed them; and he bare them, and he carried them all the days of old. Look down from heaven, and behold from the habitation of Thy holiness and Thy glory. For Thou, O Lord, art our Father, our Redeemer, Thy name is from everlasting.

Hosanna to the Son of David: Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the Highest. Amen.

591 *Psalm* xxiv., 3, 4, 5.

WHO shall ascend into the hill of the Lord? or who shall stand in His holy place? He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart, who hath not lifted up his soul to vanity, nor sworn deceitfully. He shall receive the blessing from the Lord, and righteousness from the God of his salvation. Hallelujah. Amen.

592 *Psalm* xliii., 5. 6.

WHY art thou so heavy, O my soul? and why art thou so

disquieted within me? O put thy trust in God, for I will yet give Him thanks, which is the help of my countenance, and my God. Amen.

593 *Psalm* x., 1, 13: xiv., 11.

WHY standest Thou so far off, O Lord, and hidest Thy face in the needful time of trouble. Arise, O Lord God, and lift up Thine hand, forget not the poor. Who shall give salvation unto Israel out of Zion? When the Lord turneth again the captivity of His people, then shall Jacob rejoice, and Israel shall be glad.

594 *S. Luke* xxiv., 5, 6, 7.

WHY seek ye the living among the dead? He is not here, but is risen: remember how He spake unto you when He was yet in Galilee; saying, The Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, and be crucified, and the third day rise again. He is not here, but is risen.

595 *Psalm* ii., 1—6.

WHY do the heathen so furiously rage together, and why do the people imagine a vain thing? The kings of the earth stand up, and the rulers take counsel together, against the Lord, and against His Anointed. Let us break their bonds asunder, and cast away their cords from us. He that dwelleth in heaven shall laugh them to scorn, the Lord shall have them in derision. Then shall He speak unto them in his wrath, and vex them sore in his displeasure. Yet have I set my king upon my holy hill of Sion.

596 *Psalm* ii., 1, 2, 3.

WHY do the nations so furiously rage together, and why

do the people imagine a vain thing? The kings of the earth rise up, and the rulers take counsel together against the Lord and against His Anointed. Let us break their bonds asunder, and cast away their cords from us.

597 *Psalm* lxxiv. *Metrical version.*

WHY hast Thou cast us off, O God?
Wilt Thou no more return?
O why against Thy chosen flock
Does Thy fierce anger burn?

Think on Thy ancient purchase, Lord,
The land that is Thy own,
By Thee redeem'd, and Sion's mount,
Where once Thy glory shone.

598 *Psalm* ii., 1—12.

WHY rage fiercely the heathen, and the people meditate a vain thing? The kings of the earth they set themselves up, and the rulers take counsel together against the Lord, and against His Anointed. Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us. He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh them to scorn, and the Lord shall deride them. He shall speak to them in wrath, and vex them in displeasure. Yet have I set My King on My holy hill of Zion. I will declare the law whereof the Lord hath said to Me: Thou art My Son, this day have I begotten Thee. Ask of Me, and I shall give the heathen for Thine inheritance; earth's utmost parts for Thy possession. Thou shalt break them in pieces with sceptres of iron, like a potter's vessel Thou shalt dash them. O therefore be ye wise, O kings; ye judges of the earth, be instructed. Serve the Lord with fear, rejoice unto Him with trembling. Kiss the Son, lest He be angry, and ye perish from the right way, for His wrath shall soon rekindle. All who trust in His name are blessed.

599 *From the Communion Office.*

WITH angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Thy glorious name, evermore praising Thee, and saying, Holy, Lord God of hosts, heaven and earth are full of Thy glory. Glory be to Thee, O Lord, most high. Amen.

600 *Psalm* xl., 14, 20, 21.

WITHDRAW not Thou Thy mercy from me, O Lord; let Thy loving-kindness and Thy truth alway preserve me. Ask for me, I am poor and needy, but the Lord careth for me. Thou art my Helper and Redeemer, make no long tarrying, O my God.

601 *Hosea* vii., 13. 1 *Kings* viii., 35.

WOE unto them that forsake Him. Destruction shall fall upon them, for they have transgressed against Him. Though they are by Him redeemed, yet have they spoken falsely against Him. Look down on us from heaven, O Lord, regard the distress of Thy people; open the heavens and send us relief; help Thy servants. When the heavens are closed up, because they have sinned against Thee: yet if they pray and confess Thy name, and turn from their sin, when Thou dost afflict them, then hear Thou from heaven and forgive the sin.

602 *Revelation* v., 12, 13.

WORTHY is the Lamb that was slain, and hath redeemed us to God by His blood; to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing. Blessing and honour, and glory and power, be unto Him that sitteth upon the Throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever. Amen.

603 *Acts* i., 11; *Psalm* xlvii., 1.

YE men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven shall so come in like manner as ye have seen Him go into heaven. O clap your hands together, all ye people; O sing unto God with the voice of melody.

604 1 *Kings* i., 39, 40.

ZADOK the priest and Nathan the prophet anointed Solomon King. And all the people rejoiced and said, God save the King. Hallelujah. Amen.

APPENDIX.

605 *Revelation* vii., 9.

BEHOLD, a great multitude of all nations, and kindreds, and people stood before the throne of the Lamb. And they were clothed in white garments, and had palms in their hands; they fell down upon their faces, and worshipped God. These are they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes, and made them white in the precious Blood of the Lamb. Therefore they are before the throne, and serve God day and night. For the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed them; and God shall wipe away all tears from the eyes of His people. Hail! Lord Almighty, Hail! For God shall lead them: He shall guide them; God from every face shall wipe off every tear. Hail! Lord Almighty, Hail! Thou hast redeemed us, and we are Thine.

606

GOD of mercy, God of love, grant Thy people peace and rest.

607 *Psalm* lxxxvi.

I PRAISE Thee, O Lord my God, with all my heart evermore. For great is Thy mercy towards me, and Thou hast delivered my soul from the lowest hell. The Lord He is good, He shall dry all your tears and heal all your sorrows. For His word shall not decay.

608

KING all glorious, Lord of Hosts Almighty, this day revealed in victory, over all the world of light ascending, we pray Thee leave us not comfortless, but send the Great Father's promise on us, the Spirit of Truth, Thy Spirit. Alleluia!

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Psalm xxv., 18.

LOOK upon mine adversity and misery, and forgive me all my sin. Consider mine enemies, O Lord, how many they are. O keep my soul, and deliver me. O let me not be confounded, for I have put my trust in Thee.

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Isaiah xxv., 1, 4; xxvi., 3, 5, 8.

O LORD, Thou art my God, I will exalt Thee. I will praise Thy name, O God, for Thou hast been a strength to the poor and needy in distress. For He bringeth down them that dwell on high; the lofty city He layeth it low. Yea, in the way of Thy judgments have we waited for Thee, and the desire of our soul is for Thee. Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee.

611

ON Thee each living soul awaits: from Thee each joy, each blessing flows. Thou openest Thine hand, Thy bounteous hand, and all are filled with good. But when Thy face, O Lord, is hid, with sudden terror they are struck: Thou takest their breath away: they vanish into dust.—Thou sendest forth Thy breath again, and life with vigour fresh returns: revived earth unfolds new force and new delights. Achieved is the glorious work: our song let

be the praise of God. Glory to His name for ever. He, sole on high exalted reigns. Hallelujah.

612 *Judith* xvi., 13, 14, 15, *&c.*

O LORD, Thou art great and glorious, wonderful in strength; Thou art merciful to them that fear Thee. Let all nations serve Thee: for Thou spakest, and they were made; Thou didst send forth Thy Spirit, and It created them. Oh! all ye that worship the Lord, bless the God of gods. Praise Him and give Him thanks, for His mercy endureth for ever. Amen.

613 *Psalm* lxviii., 28, 29.

O STRENGTHEN, Lord, Thy work which Thou hast wrought in us Thy servants: for Thy holy temple's sake, which is in Jerusalem. So shall kings bring their presents unto Thee. Alleluia.

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